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THIS BLUE BOOK IS RESPECTFULLY DEDICATED TO THOSE MISSISSIPPIANS WHO DIED IN HURRICANE KATRINA, AUGUST 29, 2005, AND TO THE INDOMITABLE SPIRIT OF THE PEOPLE OF MISSISSIPPI.

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Preface

One hundred and one years ago, Mississippi's first "Official and Statistical Register" was published by the Mississippi's Department of Archives and History – the second such historical agency in the nation. In it was a picture of the New Capitol Building, completed just the year before.

The Secretary of State began publishing the "Blue Book" in the 1930s. In 1931, the Blue Book featured prominently on its cover an airplane – rarely seen by our citizens in those days – and inside was the recommendation of Secretary of State Walker Wood that the driveway to the Capitol should be paved. How times have changed!

When I was a graduate student studying Mississippi history, I spent countless hours pouring over old Blue Books, the definitive records of state government. Now, with the Internet, websites, and e-mail, the role of the Blue Book has changed. Many Mississippians look first to their computers for immediate information and news, not a well-worn volume on a desk. Yet the Blue Book remains the fundamental historical reference on our state's government – informing us about election returns, local officials, state agencies, and dozens of other topics. As we publish this centennial edition, we are keenly aware of the importance of making it an accurate and appealing representation of our state for posterity. One hundred years from now, when our websites are lost forever in cyberspace, historians will study the Blue Book to learn what Mississippi was like in the early years of the 21st century.

This edition of the Blue Book focuses on our state's history. While providing much useful information on state government in 2005, this Blue Book also takes a step backward to explore and honor Mississippi's past. As you peruse the essays, the artwork, and the historical markers, I hope you will discover something new and exciting about the history of our state.

Mississippi changes every day, but the essence of our state's history endures. This book is a record of our Mississippi now. I hope its readers will learn from it and enjoy it – whether today or a century from now!

Secretary of State

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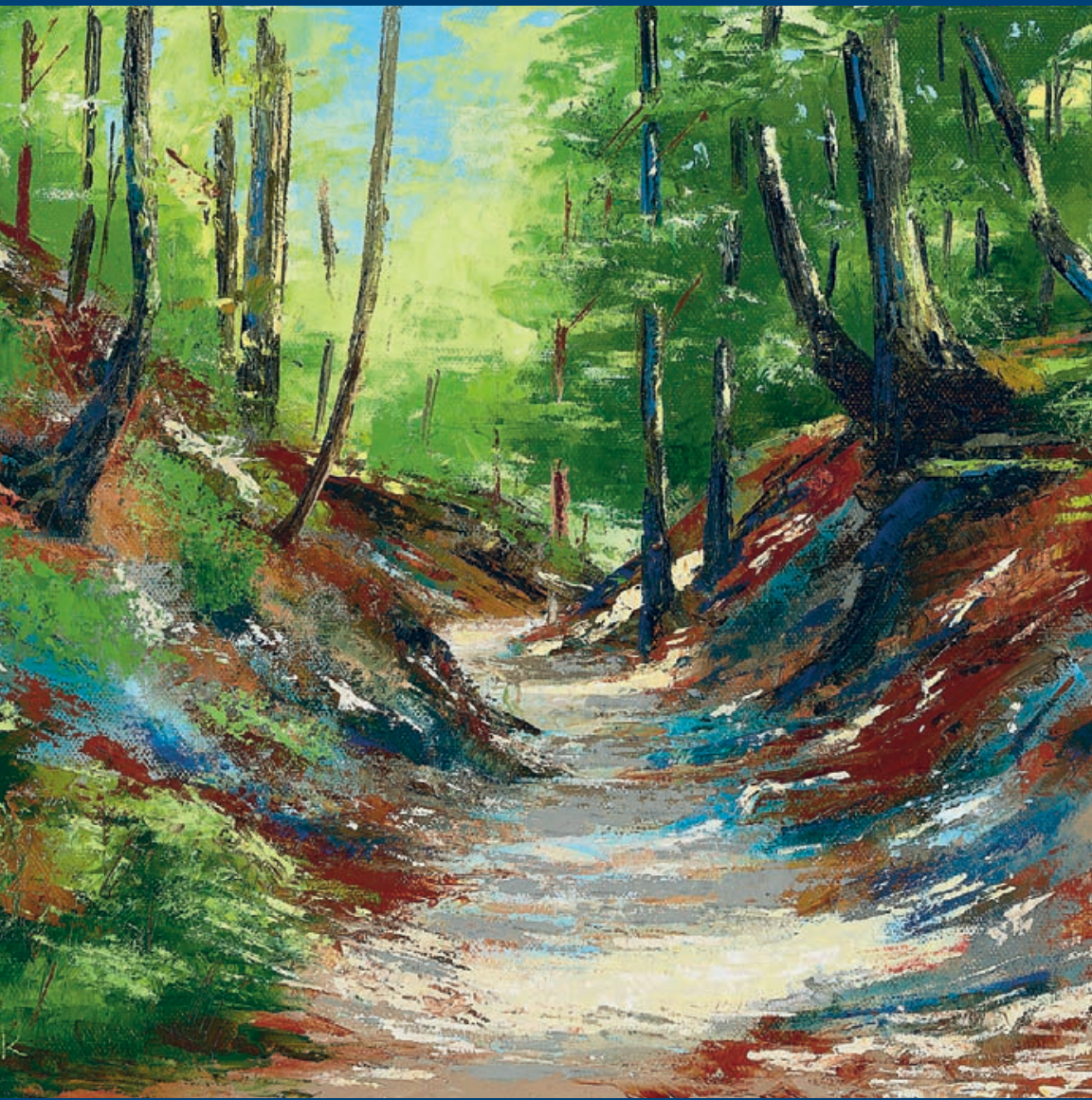
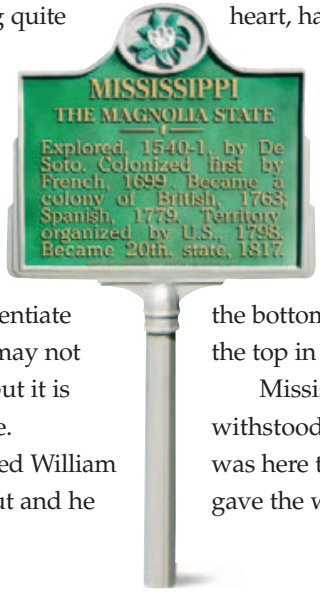


Claiborne County

Magnolia State

To some the word "Mississippi" conjures up images of moonlight and magnolias, football and Miss Americas. To others it means something quite different. For more than a century slavery cursed the land we love. Its long shadow haunts us, and its legacy still divides us. But as we enter the third century of our history, there are no laws on our books that differentiate or discriminate. Mississippi may not yet be where it ought to be, but it is certainly not like it used to be.

An interviewer once asked William Faulkner what he wrote about and he said, "I write about the human heart in conflict with itself." Throughout much of its history, Mississippi, like the human heart, has been in conflict with itself.


MISSISSIPPI
THE MAGNOLIA STATE
Explored, 1540-1, by De Soto. Colonized first by French, 1699. Became a colony of British, 1763; Spanish, 1779. Territory organized by U.S., 1798. Became 20th. state, 1817.

Our hospitality is legendary, but we remain on guard toward outsiders. We have a high rate of illiteracy, but we have more Pulitzer Prize winners per acre than any other state. We rank near the bottom in per capita income, but at the top in charitable giving.

Mississippi is a place that has withstood much hardship and pain; it was here the blues were born, and we gave the world B.B. King. But we are

Essay by Dr. David Sansing,
Professor Emeritus of History
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Opposite page artwork: First carved out of wilderness by herds of buffalo and other animals, the Old Natchez Trace became a trade and hunting route for Native American tribes, and later, a path homeward for "Kaintuck" boatmen who had sold their cargo at southern ports. Today, it can be explored along the scenic 444-mile Natchez Trace Parkway.

also vibrant and exuberant, and we gave the world Elvis Presley, the boy wonder of rock and roll.

For almost every trait that is typical of Mississippi, there seems to be a correspondingly opposite trait that is equally typical.

Perhaps that is why people are so fascinated with us. We are amused by the attention we get when we visit other parts of the country, especially "up north."

People seem somehow intrigued to find a real live Mississippian outside his natural habitat.

To be a Mississippian is an existential predicament, and it may be that there is just no other place in the world quite like Mississippi.

In 1903, as the nation celebrated the dawn of a new century of hope and promise, Mississippi's Methodist Bishop Charles Betts Galloway wrote that his most ardent ambition for Mississippi was that it "would not sit forever on the opposition benches" but would boldly claim its share of the American Dream. It has taken far too long, but Bishop Galloway's ardent ambition has been fulfilled.

Mississippians now sit in the highest councils of government, business, science, arts and letters. Any Mississippian can fulfill his or her loftiest aspiration. If they can dream it, they can do it.

In the century since Bishop Galloway spoke of his ardent ambition there has been a sea change, a seismic shift in Mississippi.

One of the enduring changes came in 1920 with the passage of the 19th Amendment extending the franchise to women. With their newly won right to vote our mothers and grandmothers, wives and sisters refreshed American democracy and brought an earnestness to public policy that the Republic had not known before.

Sunset over the Mississippi River Bridge, Natchez

The fount from which many other sweeping changes flowed was an expanding national economy that industrialized and urbanized Mississippi. Early in the twentieth century the embrace of industry by a rural people was slow and halting. But the Great Depression of the 1930s called for a bold and innovative remedy to the deepening poverty that held a nation in its grip. The benefits of attracting industry to the rural south were obvious, but the strategy for achieving that goal was conceived and implemented by Mississippians.

The Balance Agriculture With Industry program (BAWI), inaugurated in 1936, was Mississippi's gift to the South and the nation. Thirty years later Mississippi's industrial employment

exceeded agricultural employment for the first time in the state's history.

As a testament to the success of the BAWI, many of the world's great performing artists feature high-tech acoustical instruments and sound systems that are made in Mississippi, by Mississippians.

America's space shuttle engines are tested at NASA's Stennis Space Center near Bay St. Louis.

In the heartland of Mississippi is located one of the largest automobile assembly plants in the world. Almost two thousand cars a day roll off an assembly line in Canton.

Economic development and opportunity brought an ethnic diversity to Mississippi that is truly remarkable. In Jackson's largest downtown hotel the safety instructions on the elevator are recorded in seven languages.

Those instructions do not include the language of Native Americans. The Mississippi Band of Choctaws is virtually a sovereign nation within our borders, and under the leadership of Chief Phillip Martin, the Choctaws have produced a model social and economic development program that enables them to live in independence and dignity on their ancestral land.

Canoeing down one of Mississippi's many lakes and rivers.

Industrialization and urbanization have also produced a transportation revolution that links our dusty country roads to the far reaches of outer space. The Stennis Space Center in Hancock County has long been an important site in America's space program.

For decades an out-migration deprived Mississippi of the energy and intellect of some of its best and brightest people. But we have stemmed the Brain Drain and have reversed the Black Exodus.

We accomplished this by transforming our public education system and I salute Mississippi's classroom teachers because they are the foot soldiers in the army of the New Mississippi. Our state also developed a system of higher education that compares favorably with any state system in the country. There are lucrative scholarships, generously funded by Mississippians, that keep our best and brightest at home. If they don't have to go away to college, we don't have to worry about their coming back.

Since 1955 the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, where one of the first human organ transplants was performed, has provided

superior medical education for thousands of health professionals. It would be almost impossible to overestimate the contribution the Medical Center has made to the health and well-being of Mississippi.

The image of Mississippi's defiance of the Supreme Court's order to admit James Meredith to the University of Mississippi in 1962, and the riot that followed, is still vivid in America's memory. Equally vivid in my memory is Governor Paul Johnson's inaugural address in 1964, which represented a turning point in our history. "If we must fight," he said, "it will not be a rear guard defense of yesterday. It will be an all out assault on our share of tomorrow."

Jackson is the official home of the USA International Ballet Competition.

Among the leaders of that charge into the future were Medgar Evers and Vernon Dahmer, Aaron Henry and Fannie Lou Hamer, who gave their last full measure in the cause of justice and human dignity. It is a tribute to them, and to many others, that Mississippi has more black elected public officials than any other state in America.

Harvesting cotton in the flatlands of the Delta.

All of these changes and achievements occurred during a cultural flourishing that I call the Mississippi Renaissance.

We have taught the world to sing. Three of the major genres of American music have their roots in Mississippi – blues, country, and rock 'n roll.

The Blues were born here. Bo Diddley, Muddy Waters, Son Thomas, and B.B. King first made their music in the flatlands of the Mississippi Delta.

Country Music, one of the most popular singing styles in America, was elevated to an art form by Mississippi's Jimmy Rodgers. His progeny of Mississippi gospel, popular and country stars include the Blackwood Brothers, Mickey Gilley, Conway Twitty, Charley Pride, Bobbie Gentry, Guy Hovis, Marty Stuart, Faith Hill, LeAnn Rimes, and the 2004 Grammy Award winning songwriter Tricia Walker.

Rock and roll was born in Mississippi's mythical "Heartbreak Hotel," and Elvis Presley forever changed the style of American music.

And there is Mississippi's Grand Lady of Opera, Leontyne Price, who received a 42-minute standing ovation in her 1961 Metropolitan debut.

Mississippi may not have taught the world to dance, but every four years the world of dance comes to Mississippi

when the International Ballet Competition showcases the world's most talented young dancers.

In the performing arts Mississippians have reached the heights in perhaps the most competitive industry in America. Our stars, who are too numerous even to list, include Sela Ward and Morgan Freeman, two of America's favorite actors. Oprah Winfrey, who reinvented talk show television, is one of the most influential women in America. And Jim Henson gave our children the Muppets who live on the renowned Sesame Street. The Mississippi Renaissance produced four of America's great writers – Richard Wright, William Faulkner, Tennessee Williams, and Eudora Welty. Our literary tradition is a marvel in the world of letters. Just a partial list of Mississippi writers would include Margaret Walker Alexander, Shelby Foote, William Alexander Percy, Hodding Carter, Ira Harkey, Hazel Brannon Smith, Turner Catledge, Lerone Bennett, Dumas Malone, David Donald, Willie Morris, Ellen Douglas, Elizabeth Spencer, Beth Henley, Richard Ford, Barry Hannah, Sterling Plumpp, Larry Brown, Clifton Taulbert, Thomas Harris, Greg Iles, Nevada Barr, and John Grisham.

The Biloxi Lighthouse sits along Highway 90 on the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

In my wildest flights of fantasy I cannot imagine what Mississippi will be like a century from now. But I know this; the future belongs to those who prepare for it.

Too many Mississippians still long for the past, and far too many won't forget the past. William Faulkner said we cannot get beyond the reach of our past. That may be true, but we can break its hold on us.

Like Bishop Galloway I, too, have an ardent ambition for Mississippi – it is that we will let go of yesterday, so we can take hold of tomorrow.

The future is ours; it is our Promised Land.

Woodworth Chapel

Tougaloo College
Tougaloo, Mississippi

Woodworth Chapel

A mustard seed of faith was sown in 1869, when the American Missionary Association purchased a five-hundred acre plantation near Jackson, for the cultivation not of cotton, but of minds and spirits at a college called Tougaloo. In 1901, students laid aside books long enough to build a chapel from a Queen Ann design by Cedar Rapids architects Jocsselen and Taylor. College president Dr. Frank Woodworth inspired the name. Later, Woodworth Chapel would grow in stature, as its pulpit gave sanctuary to those speaking out for justice, and as the Tougaloo community assumed a leading role in a monumental task to awaken the conscience of a nation. The roll call of Woodworth speakers is distinguished: George Washington Carver, Booker T. Washington, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Medgar Evers, Robert Kennedy, and Ralph Bunche. Today, after an award-winning restoration, Woodworth Chapel looks out on a world improved by its shelter.

TOUGALOO COLLEGE &
PREPARATORY SCHOOL
S. W. 1 mi. Coeducational liberal arts college set up by American Missionary Assoc. in 1869. Was state's first accredited Negro college and school.

From the pulpit of Woodworth Chapel came words of justice and freedom that spoke to the nation.

Rosalie Mansion

Natchez, Mississippi

Rosalie Mansion

Rosalie Mansion of Natchez holds a majestic perch on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi River. The site was first occupied by the French who built Fort Rosalie in 1716 and named it for the Duchess de Pontchartrain. Later, the English, and then the Spanish, claimed the spot before Rosalie Mansion was built in 1820 by landowner Peter Little for his wife Eliza. Little is credited with developing the steam circular saw, which he crafted from an abandoned boat. His invention launched the lumber industry in the area. During the height of Rosalie's reign, Natchez also thrived, as state capital and as home to more millionaires than any city in the nation, with the exceptions of New York, Philadelphia, and Boston. Union troops used Rosalie Mansion as headquarters during the Civil War, but treated the house with great care. In 1938, the Mississippi State Society Daughters of the American Revolution purchased the mansion and restored it to the original glory of its Early Classical Revival design. This service organization continues to educate the public on this golden era of Mississippi history. Today, flowing hemlines once again swirl across the stately portico as Rosalie Mansion and its gardens have become a popular wedding site.

FT. ROSALIE (FT. PANMURE)
Occupied 1716 - circa 1800 by successive French, British, Spanish and American garrisons during struggle for control of the Miss. River Valley. Nucleus of early settlements in the Natchez District.

Once a reigning beauty in a city of millionaires, Rosalie welcomes visitors year-round as a popular historic landmark.

Old Capitol

Downtown Jackson

Old Capitol

Consider that when the Old Capitol was built, it sat in the middle of a town of fewer than a thousand residents, with only dirt roads and plank sidewalks, and it's obvious early Mississippians possessed not just vision, but real confidence. Constructing a building of such magnitude in an area barely beyond wilderness was no easy task, but William Nichols, considered one of the premier architects of the South, had already built statehouses for Alabama and North Carolina. His classic Greek Revival design, with its large open galleries, allowed citizens to watch legislators in action, a transparency in governance perfectly suited to a capital city named for the father of "Jacksonian democracy." In 1839, legislators convened their first session in the new structure which was "brilliantly illuminated," and perhaps illuminating as well, for that session proved to be one of the most reform-minded ever – passing, among other progressive legislation, the first law in the nation to guarantee property rights to married women.

MISSISSIPPI STATE
HISTORICAL MUSEUM
OLD CAPITOL RESTORATION
Served 1839-1903 as the state capitol; restored 1959-1961 as the State Historical Museum, a division of the Miss. Department of Archives and History.

The building escaped General Sherman's torch in 1863, but by the end of the century, times had changed, state government had grown, and a new capitol was needed. State offices were housed in the Old Capitol for a time, before an adaptive restoration made it into the thriving museum and landmark that continues to inspire and illuminate the state today.

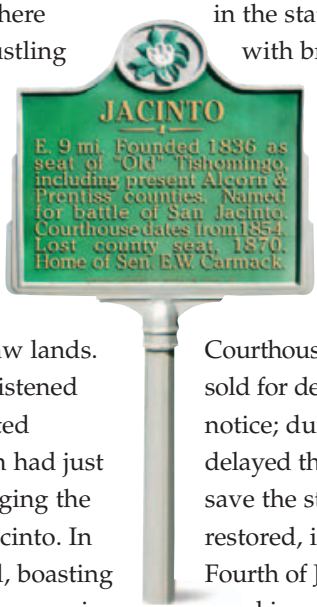
Opening government to the people, the Old Capitol embodied the democratic ideals of Greek Architecture and Jacksonian Government.

Jacinto Courthouse

Alcorn County

Jacinto Courthouse

Head north to Alcorn County, take Highway 356 east of Rienzi, then travel back, 'way back, about 150 years in historical imagination, and there you'll find yourself in the bustling frontier town of Jacinto. The county seat of the old Tishomingo County, Jacinto sat squarely in the center of the nearly one million acres that once comprised the state's largest county, formed in 1836 from ceded Chickasaw lands. The town was originally christened Cincinnati, but citizens wanted originality and Sam Houston had just earned their respect by avenging the Alamo at the battle of San Jacinto. In its heyday, Jacinto prospered, boasting taverns, newspapers, and stage service four times daily. The Federal style brick courthouse, built in 1853, (and today one of the oldest existing courthouses in the state) was constructed to last, with brick walls nearly two feet thick. However, in 1870, Tishomingo was split into three counties – Prentiss, Alcorn, and Tishomingo – and new county seats were chosen for their rail lines. Its original use nullified, the Courthouse faded. Ironically, when it was sold for demolition, alarmed citizens took notice; during the five days of rain that delayed the wrecking ball, they rallied to save the structure, and today, superbly restored, it hosts an old fashioned Fourth of July festival and major political speaking event every year.


JACINTO
E. 9 mi. Founded 1836 as seat of "Old" Tishomingo, including present Alcorn & Prentiss counties. Named for battle of San Jacinto. Courthouse dates from 1854. Lost county seat, 1870. Home of Sen. E.W. Carmack.

Jacinto failed to survive county redistricting, but the wise judgement of the people saved an impressive historical structure.

Battle of Vicksburg

Vicksburg, Mississippi

The Siege of Vicksburg

So vital was Vicksburg to guarding the Mississippi River and so formidable were Confederate fortifications, that it was called the Gibraltar of the South. But Ulysses S. Grant cut the Confederate supply lines and surround the city. In the 48-day siege that followed, 22,000 shells rained down on Vicksburg from gunboats alone, civilians dug caves in the clay hillsides for bomb shelters, and food was scarce. On July 4, 1863, Pemberton surrendered the battered and starved city. In 1899 the Vicksburg National Military Park was created by Congress. Each state that had troops engaged in the Battle of Vicksburg was invited to honor its troops by erecting a monument in the Park. Today, the Vicksburg National Military Park is one of the most densely monumented battlefields in the entire world, with the largest collection of outdoor sculpture in the southeastern United States. In addition to the 20 miles of reconstructed trenches and earthworks, a restored Union gunboat, and 144 cannons, the park contains more interments of Civil War soldiers than any national cemetery in the United States.

VICKSBURG SIEGE
Beginning on May 16, 1863, Gen. U.S. Grant held city under siege, cutting off all supplies & driving citizens to caves to escape shells. C.S.A. Gen. John C. Pemberton finally surrendered July 4.

Where carnage once ruled, eloquent silence now reigns.

The Gibraltar of the South would fall in a fierce contest, the moment captured forever at Vicksburg.

Meridian Grand Opera House

Meridian, Mississippi

Meridian Grand Opera House

Fittingly, the Grand Opera House of Meridian began life as a dream, the dream of merchants I. Marks and his three half-brothers, Levi, Sam, and Marx Rothenberg. They decided to turn their proposed hotel into a world-class musical theatre. With its magnificent stage, arched ceiling, and miles of velvet upholstery, the Grand Opera House opened in 1890 to great fanfare, luring famous opera singers and theatre luminaries like Sara Bernhardt and Helen Hayes to perform.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE
Affectionately known as "The Lady," Meridian's Grand Opera House was completed in 1890. Owned by Marks-Rothenberg, the building was designed by C.M. Torgenson and J.B. McElfatrick. In 1923, Saenger Films of New Orleans leased the property and converted it into a film theater. The Opera House closed ca. 1927.

With the theatre genre declining, the Grand Opera House was operated as a movie house until it closed in 1927. It was donated to a local not-for-profit corporation, The Grand Opera House of Mississippi, Inc., in 1987. This group found a treasure of theatre history – playbills and period posters, more than 1,000 in all – nestled beneath the floorboards of the House. On March 11, 1993, the Mississippi State Legislature designated the theatre as The Official State Grand Opera House of Mississippi.

Mississippi State University is renovating the Grand Opera House to its original 19th century splendor. It will be joined by two "old friends," the Marks-Rothenberg Building (circa 1889) and the Newberry Building (circa 1892), to create the MSU "Riley Education and Performing Arts Center." When it opens in 2006, the Center, along with the new arts district parking garage and the newly renovated Rosenbaum Building, will form the core of a beautifully revitalized downtown Meridian.

After a seventy-nine year intermission, the curtain rises on an exciting second act for the Meridian Grand Opera House.

Birthplace of Elvis

Tupelo, Mississippi

ELVIS PRESLEY'S BIRTHPLACE

Every year, from every corner of the globe they make their way, 80,000 strong, to see the birthplace of a king–not a palace, but a two-room shotgun house that Vernon Presley built with his own hands, using the hammer now on display in the birthplace museum. These 80,000 pilgrims are the faithful, and this is Elvis: not the sequined superstar, but the sandy-haired boy who would, at his mother's urging, buy his first guitar at the Tupelo Hardware Store. The hardware store is part of the Early Years Driving Tour, which offers a revealing glimpse of the world and the time– and the music–that cradled a legend.

BIRTHPLACE OF
ELVIS PRESLEY
Elvis Aaron Presley was born Jan. 8, 1935, in this house, built by his father. Presley's career as a singer and entertainer redefined American popular music. He died Aug.16, 1977, at Memphis, Tennessee.

Harmonies both sacred and secular, musical traditions from both black and white cultures, Elvis heard them all in Tupelo, and loved them all, as he wandered barefoot through streets that also hummed with the thriving manufacture of a growing metropolis. Today, on the museum grounds, Elvis's bronze likeness stands at 5'5", his exact height in 1948 when the thirteen-year-old and his parents loaded up their Plymouth and headed for Memphis, where Elvis would meet his destiny. Today, at the Birthplace, true believers and the just plain curious meet a young boy full of hope and promise.

FOLLOW IN THE STEPS
OF THE BAREFOOT BOY WHO WOULD GO ON
TO ROCK THE WORLD.

Ground Zero Blues Club

Downtown Clarksdale

The Delta Blues

Exactly how or when the blues were born is a mystery. In his memoirs, W.C. Handy immortalized that moment at the Tutweiler train station when he heard the notes of that "weird music" from the young man headed where "the Southern crossed the Dog." But no one knows how or when an African gourd rigged with a string became the taut line of the diddley bow nailed to a Mississippi Delta barn. Or when the first knife blade was drawn across a guitar string, or when the first broken bottle neck was held over a flame to form a guitar slide. What we know is that it happened here in the Mississippi Delta; what we know is that the 40 square miles of Dockery Plantation in Sunflower County produced a crop of outstanding bluesmen, including the great Charlie Patton, whose style influenced Willie Brown, Son House, and Howlin' Wolf. What we know is that the whole world loves this uniquely American art form, which on any given night can be enjoyed in Chicago or Memphis or Tokyo or London. Roll into Clarksdale, Greenville, or any other Delta town on a Saturday night, and you'll know one more thing, too: there's no place like home when it comes to the Mississippi Delta Blues.

W. C. HANDY
1873 - 1958
"Father of the Blues" composer and family lived at this site 1903-05. In Clarksdale Handy was influenced by Delta blues which he collected and later published as well as his own famous and influential music.

Be it ever so hot on a Saturday night, there's no place like the Mississippi Delta for soaking up the blues.

Deer Island and Biloxi Schooner

Biloxi, Mississippi

Deer Island and Biloxi Schooner

For a hundred years the calm waters between Deer Island and the mainland comprised the heart of Mississippi's seafood industry. In the 1850s, Biloxi fishermen supplied coastal hotels and resorts with shrimp, oysters, and crabs to feed summertime visitors and refugees from steamy New Orleans who were seeking cool breezes and quiet beaches. These resourceful local sailors designed the legendary Biloxi Schooner, whose shallow draft was perfectly suited for trawling along the sandbars and low waters that surround the barrier islands. These beautiful vessels had an extra wide beam that provided the stability and load bearing capacity needed for harvesting oysters. In 1869, a new railroad linked Biloxi to the inland markets. Soon, new technology made possible the large scale production of ice. That, along with advances in techniques for canning seafood, expanded the market for Biloxi seafood throughout the world. Commercial fishing was no longer just a seasonal business on a limited scale. Seafood canneries sprang up along the shore in the protected waters north of Deer Island, where they operated from the 1880s until Hurricane Camille destroyed them in 1969.

DEER ISLAND
"Isle aux Chevreuils"
One-half mile to the South. Occupied by prehistoric Indians. Named by the French for the deer abounding there. Hard times in French colony caused some to consider raising rabbits on the island.

Featured in the artwork is Deer Island, the bulk of which was acquired by the State of Mississippi in 2002 for permanent conservation, and a reproduction of the Biloxi Schooner, owned and operated by the Maritime and Seafood Industry Museum.

It took modern invention and knowledge to mine the age-old wealth of the Mississippi Sound.

Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians

Choctaw Reservation

MISSISSIPPI BAND OF CHOCTAW INDIANS

There are many different kinds of beauty: there is, for example, the pure and singular beauty of the beads and baskets made for centuries by the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians. But there is also something beautiful about a piece of injection molded plastic, particularly when one considers the extraordinary whirlwind of tribal economic development that produced it. It was only 1969 when the Tribe's Chahta Development company was formed to build houses for tribal members. From that one modest concern, the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians has grown to become the state's third largest employer, with 25 commercial enterprises spread across five counties, producing everything from medical and pharmaceutical products to injection molded plastics. The Tribe has also emerged as a competitor in global manufacturing, employing thousands at three Mexican-based facilities. More famously, here at home the Tribe owns the thriving Silver Star and Golden Moon casinos, the Geyser Falls water park, as well as the Dancing Rabbit luxury golf resort. Still, the Tribe cherishes the products of its heritage like beads and baskets. Cultural workshops keep traditions alive for succeeding generations, even as Choctaw children are introduced to aeronautics through a joint Choctaw-NASA "space camp" type program.

TREATY OF
DANCING RABBIT CREEK
About 5 miles north of here on September 7, 1830, the Choctaw Indians signed their last treaty with the United States, yielding most of their remaining tribal lands in Miss. to white settlement.

Achukma hoke: it is good.

HOLDING FAST TO THEIR CULTURAL HERITAGE, THE CHOCTAWS ADD ANOTHER VITAL TRADITION: EXCEPTIONAL ECONOMIC GROWTH.

MISSISSIPPI

STATE SYMBOLS

GREAT SEAL

STATE COAT-OF-ARMS

Great Seal
The State Seal has been in use since Mississippi became a state in 1817. It is described in the Laws of the State of Mississippi, First Session, First General Assembly, 1817-1818: "The seal of this state, the inscription of which shall be 'the great seal of the state of Mississippi' around the margin, and in the center an eagle, with the olive branch and quiver of arrows in his claws."

State Coat-of-Arms
On February 7, 2001, Governor Ronnie Musgrove signed into law Senate Bill No. 2285 designating the above design as the official Mississippi Coat of Arms:

"… a shield, blue in color, with an eagle upon it with extended pinions, holding in the right talon a palm branch and bundle of arrows in the left, with the word 'Mississippi' above the eagle; the lettering on the shield and the eagle to be in gold; below the shield two (2) branches of the cotton stalk, saltier wise, and a scroll below extending upward and on each side three-fourths (3/4) of the length of the shield; upon the scroll, which is to be red, the motto to be printed in gold letters upon white spaces, the motto to be 'Virtute et Armis'; this being the same Coat-of-Arms adopted by the Legislature in Chapter 37, Laws of the Extraordinary Session of 1894."

This design was declared the official state Coat-of-Arms by the 1894 Legislature, but the original law was not brought forward in the 1906 revision of the Mississippi Code. The Mississippi Supreme Court ruled in May 2000 that Mississippi did not have an official Coat-of-Arms. A 17-member commission appointed by Governor Ronnie Musgrove to study the issue recommended to the Legislature the re-adoption of the Coat-of-Arms.

State Flag

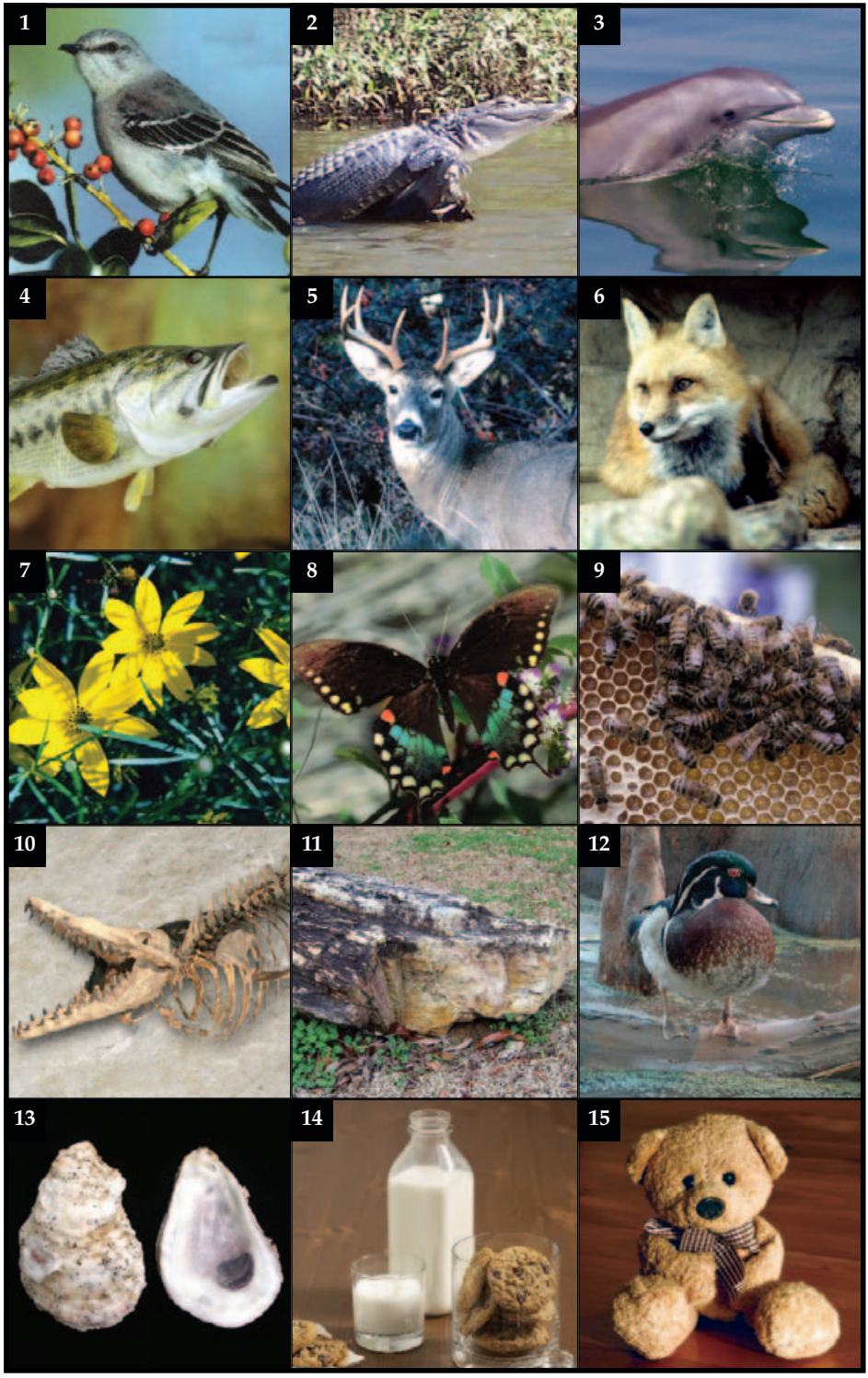
By majority vote on April 17, 2001, the citizens of Mississippi adopted the following as Section 3-3-16 of the Mississippi Code: "The official flag of the State of Mississippi shall have the following design: with width two-thirds (2/3) of its length; with the union (canton) to be square, in width two-thirds (2/3) of the width of the flag; the ground of the union to be red and a broad blue saltire thereon, bordered with white and emblazoned with thirteen (13) mullets or five-pointed stars, corresponding with the number of the original States of the Union; the field to be divided into three (3) bars of equal width, the upper one blue, the center one white, and the lower one, extending the whole length of the flag, red (the national colors); this being the flag adopted by the Mississippi Legislature in the 1894 Special Session."

Although, the 1894 Mississippi Legislature had adopted the flag described above, during the 1906 revision of the Mississippi State Code, the law designating an official state flag was not brought forward. On May 4, 2000, the Mississippi Supreme Court ruled that Mississippi did not have an official state flag. The election to select the official state flag was the recommendation of a 17-member commission appointed to study the issue by Governor Ronnie Musgrove. The 2001 Legislature passed a law setting the date for the special election. Voters chose between two designs.

State Flower and Tree

An election was held in November 1900 to select a State Flower. Votes were submitted by 23,278 school children. The magnolia received 12,745 votes, the cotton blossom 4,171, and the cape jasmine 2,484. A few votes were for other flowers. The magnolia was officially designated as the State Flower by the 1952 Legislature. In 1935, the Director of Forestry started a movement to select a State Tree for Mississippi. The tree was to be nominated and elected by school children of the State.

Four nominations were made: the magnolia, oak, pine, and dogwood. The magnolia received the majority. On April 1, 1938, the Mississippi Legislature officially designated the magnolia as the State Tree. Chapter 365, Laws of Mississippi 1938.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Other Mississippi State Symbols

1. State Bird
Found in all sections of Mississippi, the cheerful Mockingbird was selected as the official State Bird by the Women's Federated Clubs and by the State Legislature in 1944.

2. State Reptile
The American Alligator *(Alligator mississippiensis)* was designated the State Reptile by Senate Bill 2060 which was adopted by the Mississippi Legislature during the 2005 Regular Session, Senate Bill 2060.

3. State Water Mammal
An act designating the bottlenosed dolphin *(Tursiops truncatus)*, commonly called the porpoise, as the State Water Mammal was approved April 12, 1974, Chapter 551, General Laws of Mississippi of 1974.

4. State Fish
The largemouth or black bass *(Micropterus salmoides)* was designated the State Fish of Mississippi, Chapter 551, General Laws of Mississippi of 1974.

5 and 6. State Land Mammals
The white-tailed deer *(Odocoileus virginianus)* was designated the State Land Mammal of Mississippi by Senate Bill No. 2324, General Laws of Mississippi of 1974. The Red Fox was also named State Land Mammal in the 1997 Legislative Session.

7. State Wildflower
The Coreopsis was designated the State Wildflower in 1991, Chapter 332 of the General Laws of Mississippi.

8. State Butterfly
An act designating the spicebush swallowtail *(Pterourus troilus)* as the State Butterfly of Mississippi was approved in 1991. Chapter 315, General Laws of Mississippi of 1991.

9. State Insect
The honeybee *(Apis mellifera)* was designated the State Insect of Mississippi, Chapter 317, General Laws of Mississippi of 1980.

10. State Fossil
A Senate Concurrent Resolution designating the pre-historic whale as the State Fossil was adopted March 26, 1981.

11. State Stone
A Senate Concurrent Resolution designating petrified wood as the State Stone was adopted April 14, 1976.

12. State Waterfowl
The wood duck *(Aix sponsa)* was designated the State Waterfowl of Mississippi, Chapter 551, General Laws of Mississippi of 1974.

13. State Shell
An act designating the oyster shell *(Crassostrea virginica)* as the State Shell was approved April 12, 1974, Chapter 551, General Laws of Mississippi of 1974.

14. State Beverage
An act to designate milk as the State Beverage was adopted by the Mississippi Legislature during the 1984 Regular Session, Chapter 394, General Laws of Mississippi 1984.

15. State Toy
The Teddy Bear is designated the state toy of Mississippi, in recognition of the Mississippi connection to the origin of the Teddy Bear. Chapter 834, General Laws of Mississippi 2003.

State Soil
Natchez Silt Loam (Typic Eutrudepts) was designated the State Soil of Mississippi, Chapter 360, General Laws of Mississippi 2002.

State Dance
The square dance was adopted as the American folk dance of Mississippi, Chapter 303, General Laws of Mississippi 1995.

State Language
English was designated the official language of the state, Chapter 439, General Laws of Mississippi 1987.

State Grand Opera House
The Grand Opera House of Meridian was designated the State Grand Opera House, Chapter 313, General Laws of Mississippi 1993.

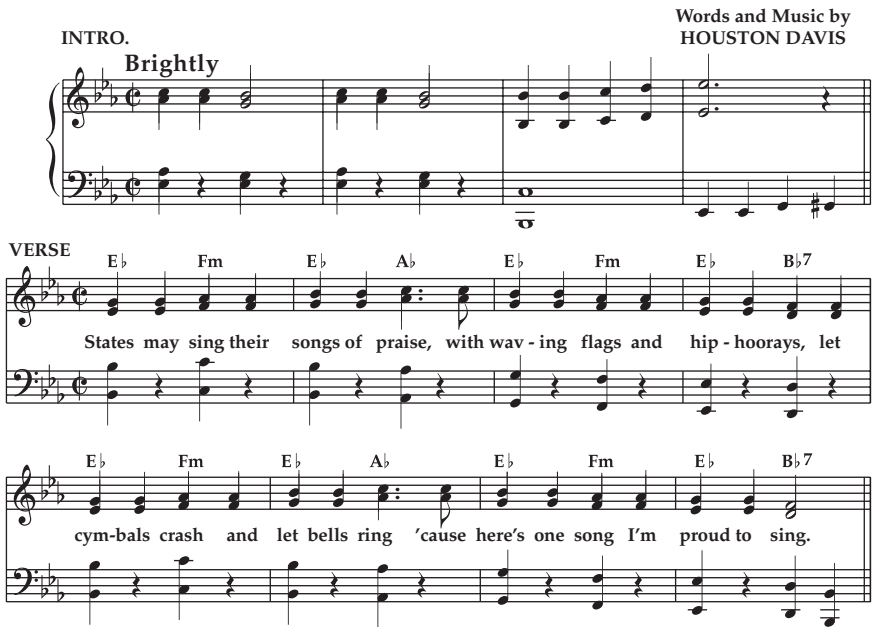
The Mississippi Code Ann. (1972) also identifies Tupelo Automobile Museum as the State Automobile Museum and the Mississippi Industrial Heritage Museum as the State Historical Industrial Museum.

State Song
"Go, Mississippi" words and music by Houston Davis.

The Jackson Board of Realtors undertook the task of finding a satisfactory song to represent the State of Mississippi. They selected through an advisory committee a song entitled, "Go, Mississippi" by Houston Davis. On May 17, 1962, the Mississippi Legislature officially designated "Go, Mississippi" as the official song of the State of Mississippi. General Laws of Mississippi of 1962, Chapter 654.

GO, MISSISSIPPI

Mississippi Official State Song - Adopted by Legislature 1962


Words and Music by
HOUSTON DAVIS
INTRO.
Brightly
VERSE
E♭ Fm E♭ A♭ E♭ Fm E♭ B♭7
States may sing their songs of praise, with wav - ing flags and hip - hoorays, let
E♭ Fm E♭ A♭ E♭ Fm E♭ B♭7
cym-bals crash and let bells ring 'cause here's one song I'm proud to sing.

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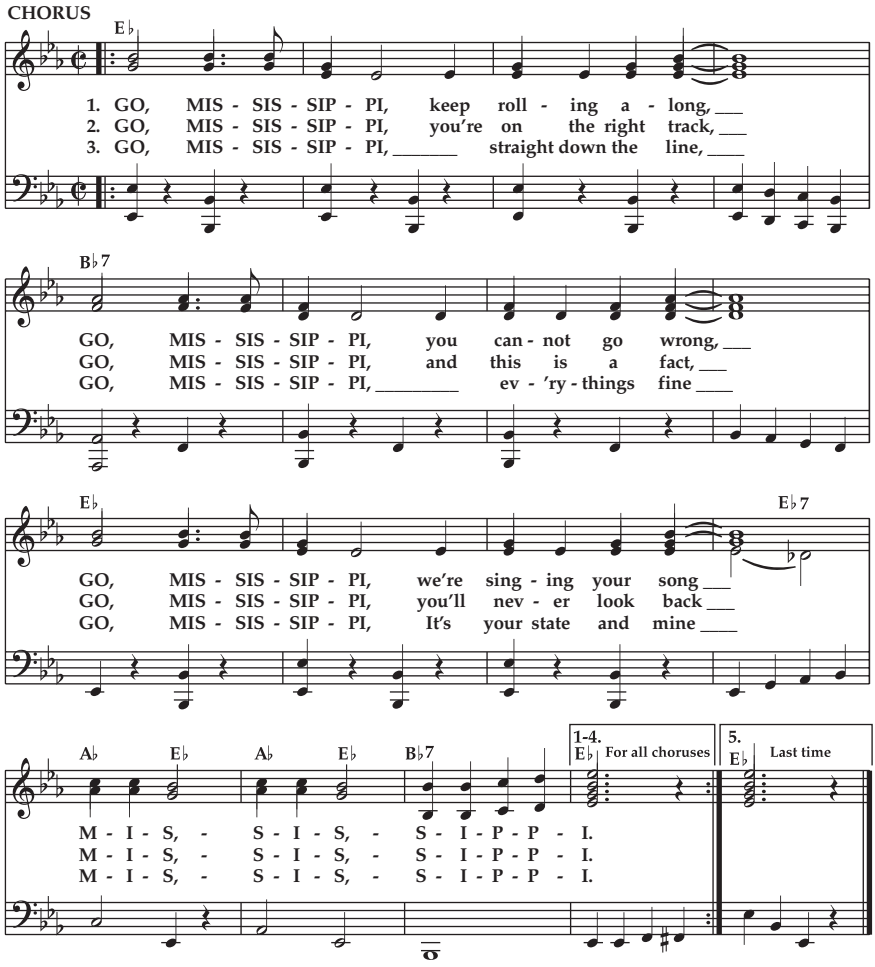
CHORUS
E♭
1. GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, keep roll - ing a - long,
2. GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, you're on the right track,
3. GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, straight down the line,
B♭7
GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, you can - not go wrong,
GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, and this is a fact,
GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, ev - 'ry - things fine
E♭
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GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, we're sing - ing your song
GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, you'll nev - er look back
GO, MIS - SIS - SIP - PI, It's your state and mine
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1-4. E♭ For all choruses
5. E♭ Last time
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Verse 1
States may sing their songs of praise,
With waving flags and hip-hoo-rays,
Let cymbals crash and let bells ring
'Cause here's one song I'm proud to sing.

Chorus
Go, Mississippi, keep rolling along,
Go, Mississippi, you cannot go wrong,
Go, Mississippi, we're singing your song
M-I-S-S-I-S-S-I-P-P-I

Verse 2
Go, Mississippi, you're on the right track,
Go, Mississippi, and this is a fact,
Go, Mississippi, you'll never look back
M-I-S-S-I-S-S-I-P-P-I

Verse 3
Go, Mississippi, straight down the line,
Go, Mississippi, ev'rything's fine,
Go, Mississippi, It's your state and mine
M-I-S-S-I-S-S-I-P-P-I

Verse 4
Go, Mississippi, continue to roll,
Go, Mississippi, the top is the goal.
Go, Mississippi, you'll have and you'll hold
M-I-S-S-I-S-S-I-P-P-I

Verse 5
Go, Mississippi, get up and go,
Go, Mississippi, let the world know
That our Mississippi is leading the show
M-I-S-S-I-S-S-I-P-P-I

Flag Etiquette

THE UNITED STATES FLAG

The following flag laws and regulations are contained in the Public Law as amended July 7, 1976, by the 94th Congress of the United States. They set forth the existing rules, customs, and etiquette pertaining to the display and use of the flag of the United States of America.

Section 1

The following codification of existing rules and customs pertaining to the display and use of the flag of the United States of America shall be and is hereby established for the use of such civilians or civilian groups or organizations as may not be required to conform with regulations promulgated by one or more executive departments of the Government of the United States.

The flag of the United States, for purposes of this chapter, shall be defined according to Title 4, United States Code, Chapter 1, §§ 1 and 2, and Executive Order 10834 issued pursuant thereto.

Section 2

(a) It is the universal custom to display the flag only from sunrise to sunset on buildings and on stationary flagstaffs in the open. However, when a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed twenty-four hours a day if properly illuminated during the hours of darkness.

(b) The flag should be hoisted briskly and lowered cautiously.

(c) The flag should not be displayed on days when the weather is inclement, except when an all weather flag is displayed.

(d) The flag should be displayed on all days, especially on New Year's Day, January 1; Inauguration Day, January 20; Lincoln's Birthday, February 12; Washington's Birthday, third Monday in February; Easter Sunday (variable); Mother's Day, second Sunday in May; Armed Forces Day, third Saturday in May; Memorial Day (half-staff until noon), the last Monday in May; Flag Day, June 14; Independence Day, July 4; Labor Day, first Monday in September; Constitution Day, September 17; Columbus Day, second Monday in October; Navy Day, October 27; Veterans Day, November 11; Thanksgiving Day, fourth Thursday in November; Christmas Day, December 25; and such other days as may be proclaimed by the President of the United States; the birthdays of States (date of admission); and on State holidays.

(e) The flag should be displayed daily, on or near the main administration building of every public institution.

(f) The flag should be displayed in or near every polling place on election days.

(g) The flag should be displayed during school days in or near every schoolhouse.

Section 3

That the flag, when carried in a procession with another flag or flags, should be either on the marching right; that is, the flag's own right, or, if there is a line of other flags, in front of the center of that line.

(a) The flag should not be displayed on a float in a parade except from a staff, or as provided in subsection (i).

(b) The flag should not be draped over the hood, top, sides or back of a vehicle or of a railroad train or boat. When the flag is displayed on a motor car, the staff shall be fixed firmly to the chassis or clamped to the right fender.

(c) No other flag or pennant should be placed above or, if on the same level, to the right of the flag of the United States of America, except during church services conducted by naval chaplains at sea, when the church pennant may be flown above the flag during church services for the personnel of the Navy.

(d) The flag of the United States of America, when it is displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, should be on the right, the flag's own right, and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.

(e) The flag of the United States of America should be at the center and at the highest point of the group when a number of flags of States or localities or pennants of societies are grouped and displayed from staffs.

(f) When flags of States, cities or localities, or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard with the flag of the United States, the latter should always be at the peak. When the flags are flown from adjacent staffs, the flag of the United States should be hoisted first and lowered last. No such flag or pennant may be placed above the flag of the United States or to the United States flag's right.

(g) When flags of two or more nations are displayed, they are to be flown from separate staffs of the same height. The flags should be of approximately equal size. International usage forbids the display of the flag of one nation above that of another nation in time of peace.

(h) When the flag of the United States is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from a windowsill, balcony, or front of a building, the union of the flag should be placed at the peak of the staff unless the flag is at half-staff. When the flag is suspended over a sidewalk from a rope extending from a house to a pole at the edge of the sidewalk, the flag should hoisted out, union first, from the building.

(i) When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right, that is, to the observer's left. When displayed in a window, the flag should be displayed in the same way, with the union or blue field to the left of the observer in the street.

(j) When the flag is displayed over the middle of the street, it should be suspended vertically with the union to the north in an east and west street or to the east in a north and south street.

(k) When used on a speaker's platform, the flag, if displayed flat, should be displayed above and behind the speaker. When displayed from a staff in a church or public auditorium, the flag of the United States of America should hold the position of superior prominence, in advance of the audience, and in the position of honor at the clergyman's or speaker's right as he faces the audience. Any other flag so displayed should be placed on the left of the clergyman or speaker or to the right of the audience.

(l) The flag should form a distinctive feature of the ceremony of unveiling a statue or monument, but it should never be used as the covering for the statue or monument.

(m) The flag, when flown at half-staff, should be first hoisted to the peak for an instant and then lowered to the half-staff position. The flag should be again raised to the peak before it is lowered for the day. On

Memorial Day the flag should be displayed at half-staff until noon only, then raised to the top of the staff. By order of the President, the flag shall be flown at half-staff upon the death of principal figures of the United States Government and the Governor of a State, territory or possession, as a mark of respect to their memory. In the event of the death of other officials or foreign dignitaries, the flag is to be displayed at half-staff according to presidential instructions or orders, or in accordance with recognized customs or practices not inconsistent with the law. In the event of the death of a present or former official of the government of any State, territory or possession of the United States, the Governor of that State, territory or possession may proclaim that the National flag shall be flown at half-staff. The flag shall be flown at half-staff thirty days from the death of the President or a former President; ten days from the death of a Vice President, the Chief Justice or a retired Chief Justice of the United States, or the Speaker of the House of Representatives: from the day of death until interment of an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, a Secretary of an executive or military department, a former Vice President, or the Governor of a State, territory or possession; and on the day of death and the following day for a Member of Congress. As used in this subsection:

1. the term "half-staff" means the position of the flag when it is one half the distance between the top and bottom of the staff;

2. the term "executive or military department" means any agency listed under sections 101 and 102 of Title 5, United States Code; and,

3. the term "Member of Congress" means a Senator, a Representative, a Delegate, or the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico.

(n) When the flag is used to cover a casket, it should be so placed that the union is at the head and over the left shoulder. The flag should not be lowered in the grave or allowed to touch the ground.

(o) When the flag is suspended across a corridor or lobby in a building with only one main entrance, it should be suspended vertically with the union of the flag to the observer's left upon entering. If the building has more than one main entrance, the flag should be suspended vertically near the center of the corridor or lobby with the union to the north, when entrances are to the east and west, or to the east when entrances are to the north and south. If there are entrances in more than two directions, the union should be to the east.

Section 4
That no disrespect should be shown to the flag of the United States of America, the flag should not be dipped to any person or thing. Regimental colors, State flags, and organization or institutional flags are to be dipped as a mark of honor.

(a) The flag should never be displayed with the union down, except as a signal of dire distress in instances of extreme danger to life or property.

(b) The flag should never touch anything beneath it, such as the ground, the floor, water or merchandise.

(c) The flag should never be carried flat or horizontally, but always aloft and free.

(d) The flag should never be used as wearing apparel, bedding, or drapery. It should never be festooned, drawn back, nor up, in folds, but always allowed to fall free. Bunting of blue, white and red, always

arranged with the blue above, the white in the middle, and the red below, should be used for covering a speaker's desk, draping the front of the platform, and for decoration in general.

(e) The flag should never be fastened, displayed, used or stored in such manner as to permit it to be easily torn, soiled, or damaged in any way.

(f) The flag should never be used as a covering for a ceiling.

(g) The flag should never have placed upon it, nor on any part of it, nor attached to it any mark, insignia, letter, word, figure, design, picture or drawing of any nature.

(h) The flag should never be used as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying or delivering anything.

(i) The flag should never be used for advertising purposes in any manner whatsoever. It should not be embroidered on such articles as cushions or handkerchiefs and the like, printed or otherwise impressed on paper napkins or boxes or anything that is designed for temporary use and discard.

Advertising signs should not be fastened to a staff or halyard from which the flag is flown.

(j) No part of the flag should ever be used as a costume or athletic uniform. However, a flag patch may be affixed to the uniform of military personnel, firemen, policemen, and members of patriotic organizations. The flag represents a living country and is itself considered a living thing. Therefore, the lapel flag pin being a replica, should be worn on the left lapel near the heart.

(k) The flag, when it is in such condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning.

Section 5
During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag or when the flag is passing in a parade or in review, all persons present except those in uniform should face the flag and stand at attention with the right hand over the heart. Those present in uniform should render the military salute. When not in uniform, men should remove the headdress with their right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Aliens should stand at attention. The salute to the flag in a moving column should be rendered at the moment the flag passes.

Section 6
During rendition of the national anthem when the flag is displayed, all present except those in uniform shall stand at attention facing the flag with the right hand over the heart. Men not in uniform should remove their headdress with their right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Persons in uniform should render the military salute at the first note of the anthem and retain this position until the last note. When the flag is not displayed, those present should face toward the music and act in the same manner they would if the flag were displayed there.

Section 7
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag:

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all," should be rendered by standing at attention facing the flag with the right hand over the heart. When not in uniform men should remove their headdress with their right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Persons in uniform should remain silent, face the flag, and render the military salute.

Section 8
Any rule or custom pertaining to the display of the flag of the United States of America, set forth herein, may be altered, modified or repealed, or additional rules with respect thereto may be prescribed, by the Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces of the United States, whenever he deems it to be appropriate or desirable; and, any such alteration or additional rule shall be set forth in a proclamation.

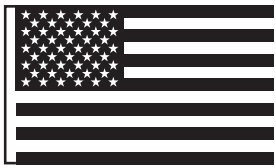
No person shall display the flag of the United Nations or any other national or international flag equal, above, or in a position of superior prominence or honor to, or in place of, the flag of the United States at any place within the United States or any Territory or possession thereof: Provided, That nothing in this section shall make unlawful the continuance of the practice heretofore followed of displaying the flag of the United Nations in a position of superior prominence or honor, and other national flags in positions of equal prominence or honor, with that of the flag of the United States at the headquarters of the United Nations.

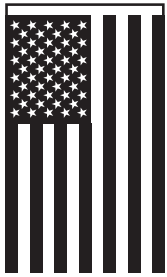
THE MISSISSIPPI STATE FLAG
The state flag may be displayed from all public buildings from sunrise to sunset; however, the state flag may be displayed from all public buildings twenty-four (24) hours a day if properly illuminated. The state flag should not be displayed when the weather is inclement, except when an all-weather flag is displayed. The state flag shall receive all of the respect and ceremonious etiquette given the American flag. Provided, however, nothing in this section shall be construed so as to affect the precedence given to the flag of the United States of America. Miss. Code Ann. § 3-3-15 (1972).

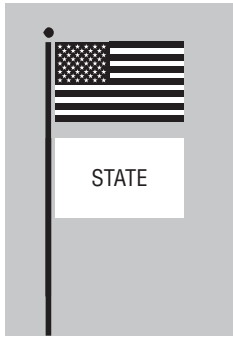
Pledge to the Mississippi Flag
"I salute the flag of Mississippi and the sovereign state for which it stands with pride in her history and achievements and with confidence in her future under the guidance of Almighty God."

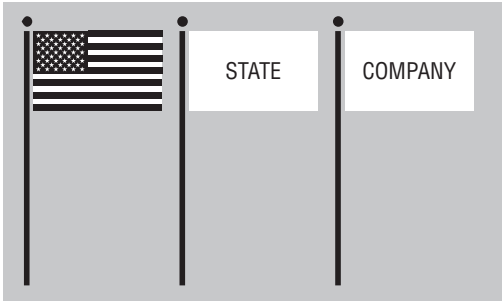
Miss. Code Ann. § 37-13-7 (1972).

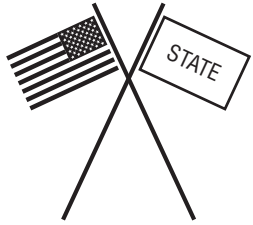
Proper Flag Display

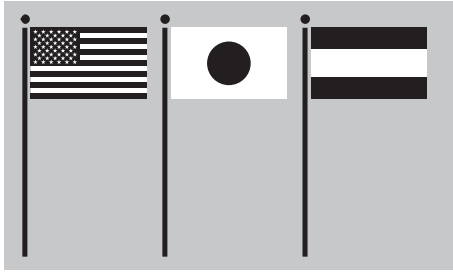


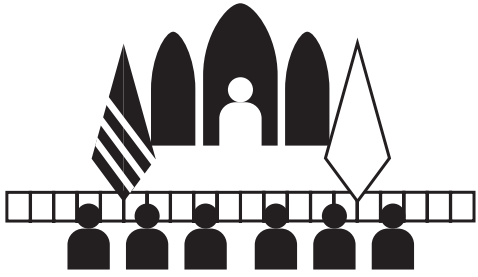












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This publication of the Mississippi Official and Statistical Register marks the 100th anniversary of the Blue Book.

BLUE BOOK HISTORY

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With this edition of the *Mississippi Official and Statistical Register*, we celebrate the centennial of the most useful source of information on state, county, and municipal government in Mississippi. I am pleased to mark this occasion by offering a brief history of a Mississippi institution – the Official and Statistical Register (Blue Book), first published by the newly created Department of Archives and History (MDAH) in 1904.

The law creating MDAH specified that the department director would compile an official and statistical register of the state of Mississippi after each general election. The register was to include brief sketches of all elected officials in the state, lists of all state institutions and their officials, state and county population and election statistics, and other related information. In 1904, Rowland Dunbar, the director of MDAH oversaw the publishing of one thousand copies of the first volume of the *Official and Statistical Register* of the State of Mississippi. This inaugural edition of the Official and Statistical Register featured a reproduction of the signature page of the first law that was passed in the Mississippi Territory on February 28, 1799, to provide for the permanent establishment of the militia of the Territory. (During the first stage of territorial government, there was no legislative body, and laws were enacted by the Territorial Governor and judges.) Thanks to the good work of MDAH archivists through the years, original laws, such as this one, are still in good condition some 103 years after they were first observed and cataloged by the department.

Other features of the first volume of the *Official and Statistical Register* included an outline of the state's history from 1540 to 1904; a history of the capitol buildings of Mississippi, along with the complete proceedings of the New Capitol's dedication on June 3, 1903; statistics on the popular vote for Governor during the period 1817-1904; and a treasure trove of other information. Tabulation of the popular vote for Governor documents the significant decline in voting caused by the implementation of the poll tax and literacy requirement for voters adopted at the 1890 constitutional convention. Whereas, the total vote for Governor in 1889 amounted to 84,945, the vote total ten years later in the 1899 election was only 48,280.

Researchers who use the 1904 edition of the *Official and Statistical Register* may be surprised to learn that Jackson, with a population of 7,816, was only the fourth largest city in the state in 1900. Vicksburg (14,834), Meridian (14,050), and Natchez (12,210) were the state's most populous cities, and Greenville's population of 7,642 almost equaled that of the capital city.

The publication of the first edition of the *Official and Statistical Register* attracted

national attention, drawing letters of commendation from noted historians such as James Ford Rhodes, William A. Dunning, and Albert Bushnell Hart. Dunning wrote, "I wish that every State would get out such a volume . . . ," whereas Dr. Hart of Harvard University stated that he had used the volume "in a graduate course in American Government as a model hand-book" for state government and that as far as he knew "not another State in the Union publishes a book so thorough, complete and serviceable with regard to its State government."

The second edition of the *Official and Statistical Register*, which was published in 1908, remains today one of the most widely used volumes in the collections of the Department of Archives and History, due to its inclusion of Dunbar Rowland's detailed "Military History of Mississippi, 1803-1898."

After 1928 the future of the *Official and Statistical Register* would be determined by two distinguished public servants who served as Secretary of State for a total of fifty-four years—Walker Wood (1926-1948) and Heber Ladner (1948-1980). It appears that Wood initiated the use of the term "Mississippi Blue Book" with the publication of the Secretary of State's biennial report for 1929-1931. Two years later, Wood began using a blue cover for his biennial reports and noted in his report for 1937-1939 that he had "been publishing the Secretary of State's biennial report in the form of the Mississippi Blue Book" for the past several bienniums.

The Legislature amended the Code in 1948 to provide that the *Official and Statistical Register* would be compiled by the Secretary of State rather than the director of the Department of Archives and History. Mr. Heber Ladner, who would serve longer as Secretary of State than any other individual in the state's history, published the 1945-1949 edition of the *Mississippi Blue Book Statistical Register of State*. From that point on the volumes were entitled *Mississippi Official and Statistical Register* until the term "The Blue Book" was added at the bottom of the title page for the 1968-1972 edition. The words "Blue Book" were deleted from the title page of the 1984-1988 edition, and in a major break from tradition, the 1988-1992 Register volume was published in gray!

Although it has been commonly believed that the *Official and Statistical Register* has been called the "Blue Book" due to its having been published over the years in various and sundry shades of blue, Secretary of State Eric Clark wrote in the introduction of the 1996-2000 publication that, "The term Blue Book dates back to the 15th century when the English Parliament began keeping its records in large volumes covered with blue velvet. Since that time the name Blue Book has been used to describe many forms of government manuals." Since the 1996-2000 edition, the words "Mississippi Blue Book" have been printed on the covers of the registers.

For one hundred years, the *Official and Statistical Register* has remained the standard reference work for information on Mississippi. I join with the citizens of the state in celebrating the publication of this centennial edition. We will use it well.

Executive Branch

"...the quality and security of our lives depends to a great extent on the delivery of services by our state government."

William Winter
Fifty-eighth Governor of Mississippi (1980-1984)

A survey of the diverse array of agencies, boards, bureaus, and commissions which are listed in this volume reveals the broad range of activity that is embraced in the Executive Department of Mississippi Government. Beginning with the office of Governor, which stands at the top of the organizational chart, one finds a complex and not always coordinated series of offices which have been charged by the Mississippi Constitution and by state law with carrying out the public's business.

Despite the complexity of the table of organization, the effective functioning of state government is a tribute to the dedication of the hard-working people who serve in these manifold agencies. This requires a degree of interagency cooperation that can come about only if there is a clear and well-defined vision for the state. For state government to function as smoothly as it should, that vision must be clearly articulated by those who oversee the various agencies and by the Governor in particular.

Having served as the head of several state agencies, including the governorship, I know how important it is for everyone who works in state government to feel a personal pride in its performance and to remember that they are there to serve the people of Mississippi and to do so with courtesy and concern. Our state is fortunate to have that attitude reflected by an overwhelming majority of the state's employees.

As citizens, whether we recognize it or not, the quality and security of our lives depends to a great extent on the delivery of services by our state government. The various agencies of the Executive Department oversee the education of our children, ensure quality health and welfare, administer the building and maintenance of our transportation system, direct the apprehension and incarceration of those who break the law, regulate the conservation of our natural resources, and perform countless other valuable services. These are services which we Mississippians cannot afford to take for granted. They must continue to be recognized as essential to our overall well-being as a state and worthy of the continuing investment of our tax dollars. The quality of those services will be a significant measure of how well Mississippi fares in the future. That means that we should regard the administration of state government as one of the most important careers that one can pursue, and we must attract to it the best and brightest of our citizenry.

ESSAY BY WILLIAM WINTER,
FORMER GOVERNOR OF MISSISSIPPI

The Executive Branch, established in Article 5 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, has the duty and responsibility of executing governmental programs and policies established by law.

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Governor

HALEY BARBOUR

Haley Barbour of Yazoo City is the 63rd Governor of Mississippi. He was elected on November 4, 2003, in the largest turnout in a gubernatorial election in state history.

Since becoming Governor, he has been focused on job creation. Governor Barbour led the fight against lawsuit abuse in Mississippi and helped pass the Tort Reform Act of 2004 – legislation The Heritage Foundation called "one of the most comprehensive legal reform bills in the nation." He also initiated and the Legislature passed the largest overhaul of workforce development efforts in state history and significantly increased funding for job training.

Governor Barbour organized and the Legislature passed "Momentum Mississippi" – the state's long-range economic development strategy group that is composed of state business and community leaders. In his first year, Mississippi had the largest net increase in new jobs since 1999 and the largest increase in personal income since 1998.

Governor Barbour has overseen numerous economic development projects while in office. These include: Textron, Faurecia, Fedex Ground, Braves Double A Franchise, Chevron, Ionatron, SteelCorr, HINO, and NASA Shared Services Center.

Governor Barbour also introduced Mississippi's most comprehensive education reform legislation in almost 25 years. His "Upgrade Education Reform" package rewards teacher and school performance, reduces state bureaucracy, and strengthens discipline in Mississippi's public schools.

In keeping with his pledge to clean up state budget problems he inherited, Governor Barbour introduced "Operation: Streamline" – the largest cost-saving plan in state history – and successfully opposed tax increases on Mississippi citizens. State spending for fiscal year 2006 will actually decline two percent.

Governor Barbour has refocused Mississippi on the fight against drugs by pushing tougher crystal methamphetamine laws and reorganizing the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics. As a result, drug arrests are up 73 percent during his term.

Governor Barbour has also led the fight to save Mississippi's struggling Medicaid program, encouraging preventative care for recipients, and implementing the strongest anti-fraud plan in the history of Mississippi Medicaid.

Governor Barbour has worked to protect the unborn. He initiated and passed six Pro-Life laws during 2004 that make Mississippi "the safest place in America for an unborn child," according to national right-to-life

organization, Americans United for Life.

In the mid-80s, Governor Barbour advised President Ronald Reagan for nearly two years as Director of the White House Office of Political Affairs.

From 1993 to January 1997, Governor Barbour served two terms as Chairman of the Republican National Committee, including the 1994 elections when Republicans won GOP control of both houses of Congress for the first time in 40 years and increased the number of Republican Governors from 17 to 32.

Governor Barbour founded and formerly served as Chair and CEO of Barbour Griffith and Rogers, which *Fortune* magazine ranked the nation's top lobbying firm.

He is a native of Yazoo City where he has a home with his wife, Marsha. They have two adult sons. Governor Barbour is a deacon in the First Presbyterian Church of Yazoo City where he has also taught Sunday School.

Duties: The Governor is the Chief Executive Officer of the state, charged with executive direction and supervision of the general administration of the State. In this capacity, he or she sees that the laws are faithfully executed, supervises the official conduct of executive officers, acts as commander-in-chief of the state militia, and appoints officials as prescribed by law.

He or she is responsible for the presentation of a balanced budget to the Legislature, and approval or veto of legislation passed by the Legislature. He or she may call extraordinary sessions of the Legislature when he or she deems it necessary, and may issue pardons, executive orders, and extraditions of fugitives from other states.

The office provides staff assistance and liaison in all areas of state government administration and researches agency programs and policies.

A number of officers are appointed by the Governor. Among these are the Adjutant General, the Commissioner of Public Safety, and the chief executive officers of the departments of Banking and Consumer Finance, Mississippi Development Authority, Environmental Quality, and the State Tax Commission. The Governor also appoints members to numerous executive and administrative boards and commissions who, in turn, appoint executive officers to the departments they lead. Some of these departments are Finance and Administration, Health, Corrections, Education, and the State Personnel Board. The Governor serves a term of four years and may be re-elected for an additional term. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 5, §§ 116-125. Miss. Code Ann. § 7-1-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 30 years old, a United States citizen for 20 years, and a resident of the state for five years next preceding the day of election.

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For more information about the Governor's Office, see page 482.

Lieutenant Governor

AMY TUCK

Amy Tuck is a native of Maben, and her Mississippi heritage stretches back as far as her family tree can reach.

Tuck attended Mississippi State University where she received a bachelor's degree in political science and a master's in Public Policy and Administration. She received her Juris Doctorate from Mississippi College in 1989.

Tuck began her career as a public servant in 1990 when voters elected her to the Mississippi State Senate. As a state senator, she led the passage of landmark legislation to overhaul thousands of dangerous bridges. Later, as Secretary of the Senate, she administered the day to day business operation of the state Senate.

Tuck was elected Lieutenant Governor in 1999, and then re-elected in 2003.

As a policy maker, she is a powerful advocate for public education. Her efforts resulted in a historic teacher pay package, better known as TOPPs (Teacher Opportunity Pay Plan), which raised teacher salaries to the Southeastern average. She combined this plan with strong accountability measures, believing that higher teacher pay and stronger accountability are inseparable. Tuck is a passionate champion of children and believes an emphasis on early childhood education is not just a worthy goal but an obligation to our future.

As a leader, Lt. Governor Tuck pushed a series of civil justice reforms to restore balance to our judicial system, ensuring access to healthcare and protecting small business owners from frivolous lawsuits. Mississippi physicians call Amy Tuck "a heroine for organized medicine." Healthcare for seniors is also a priority in her administration. Tuck spearheaded efforts to protect the future of Medicaid by eliminating waste and fraud. She also fought for stronger language in the Vulnerable Adults Act to protect our elderly.

As Lt. Governor, Tuck has overseen some of the toughest budget times in recent years. She has led the legislature to expand funding for teachers and education, holding other line items stable while not increasing taxes. She alternates as Chair and Vice Chair of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee, the body which determines how the state budget is crafted.

Tuck relies on the principles of faith, family, and freedom to guide her. Tuck is a leader with a proven record, who strives in everything she does to put "People above Politics."

Duties: In addition to the Governor, the Mississippi Constitution makes provision for a Lieutenant Governor who acts as president of the state Senate. The Lieutenant Governor presides over the Senate, rules on points of order, appoints standing committees of the Senate, appoints all select and conference committees as ordered by the Senate, and refers all bills. He or she serves as a member of the Senate Rules and Joint Legislative Budget Committees, votes only in cases of ties, speaks from the floor while the Senate is in Committee of the Whole, and signs all finally approved bills and resolutions. The Lieutenant Governor serves a term of four years and may be re-elected for an additional term. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 5, §§ 128-132, and 136. Miss. Code Ann. §§ 5-1-13, 5-1-43, and 5-1-47 (1972).

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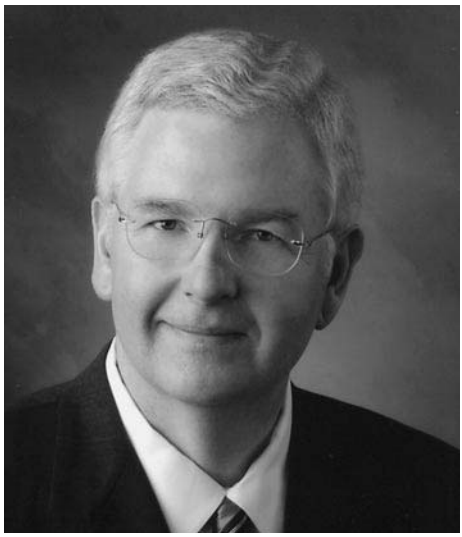

Secretary of State

ERIC CLARK

Eric Clark is now serving his third term as Mississippi's Secretary of State. He was elected to the statewide office in 1995 and re-elected in 1999 and 2003.

A native of Smith County born in 1951, Clark has focused the Secretary of State's Office on four primary goals: protecting the integrity of the state's elections; promoting sound land management; strengthening Mississippi's business climate; and safeguarding the investments and charitable donations of Mississippians.

As the state's chief elections officer, Clark has reformed the state's campaign finance disclosure laws and secured passage of new measures to combat voter fraud. He has expanded voter education programs with *Promote the Vote*, which was recognized by CNN and *TIME* Magazine as the most successful student voter project in the country, and "Vote in Honor of a Veteran"

to recognize the service and sacrifice of those who make our democracy possible.

Clark oversees more than 1.3 million acres of state-owned land, including 16th section lands for the support of public education. These lands, set aside at statehood, generate approximately $50 million dollars annually for schools in Mississippi. Clark also serves as trustee of the public trust tidelands on the Gulf Coast. In this capacity, he has promoted balanced economic development and led in the acquisition of more than 15,000 acres of endangered coastal wetlands, including Deer Island, for permanent preservation.

As Secretary of State, Clark's office is the first point of contact for many businesses and industries in Mississippi. To provide more efficient service, Clark overhauled the agency to provide faster, more efficient customer service.

He enforces the laws that protect Mississippi investors and has helped recover more than $26 million in stolen money. He has also strengthened the climate for charitable giving in Mississippi, so that donors may have confidence their gifts go to those who really need help.

Prior to his election as Secretary of State, Clark served four terms as a member of the Mississippi House of Representatives. He is a member of the Mississippi Economic Council, Mississippi Farm Bureau, Mississippi Forestry Association, and Mississippi Historical Society. He has been recognized with the American Family Association's "God and Country" Award for authoring the law that outlawed possession of child pornography in Mississippi, and the Mississippi Wildlife Federation's Conservation Legislator of the year for his efforts to preserve natural lands on the Gulf Coast. He has twice been awarded the Mississippi Nature Conservancy's Public Service Award. He is also a Certified Public Manager.

Clark is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John S. Clark. His father also served Smith County in the Mississippi House of Representatives, and his mother, Mamie Craft Clark, was a respected community leader.

Clark was valedictorian of his class at Taylorsville High School. He received a bachelor's degree from Millsaps College, a master's degree from the University of Mississippi, and a doctorate in history from Mississippi State University. A former public school and community college teacher, Clark taught history and government at Mississippi College from 1989-1995. He also manages his family tree farm in Smith County.

Clark is married to the former Karan Killebrew of Durant and Forest. Karan is a registered nurse. They are the parents of two children, Charles and Catherine. The Clarks are active members of the First Baptist Church of Brandon, where Eric serves as a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He is also a member of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board.

Duties: The Secretary of State directs a service and information agency with six major statutory functions: administration of the Mississippi Corporation Law, the

Uniform Commercial Code, the Uniform Securities Law, and the Elections Code; administration and supervision of the 16th Section School Trust Lands, the Tidelands Trust, lieu lands, and tax-forfeited property; and issuing documents and publications of the state, including those for the executive and legislative branches. Investigating charity and securities fraud, enforcing campaign finance and lobbyist reporting requirements, issuing notary commissions, registering correspondence schools, administering the state's trademark and service mark laws, service of process, and administering the Administrative Procedures Act are also functions of the Secretary of State's Office. The Constitution designates the Secretary of State as the "keeper of the capitol." The Secretary of State is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 5 §§ 133 and 136. Miss. Code Ann. § 7-3-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years old and a citizen of the state for five years next preceding the day of election.

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For more information about the Secretary of State's Office see page 484.

Attorney General

JIM HOOD

Jim Hood was elected Attorney General of Mississippi on November 4, 2003. He is a Democrat.

In his first year of office, Hood established the following programs: (1) a Victims Services Division; (2) an Identity Theft Unit; (3) an expedited foster child adoption project; and (4) an electronic communications system with all 82 sheriffs' departments. The office is currently working to create a "senior sleuths" volunteer program to help monitor elder care facilities and consumer scam operations.

Hood and his staff assisted the Legislature in passing several strong law enforcement bills. Some of these measures increased the penalty for identity theft, allowed for the prosecution of drug kingpins for tax evasion, made DUI offenders serve 85 percent of their sentences, made crimes committed with a gun punishable by an additional five years,

moved the Crime Victim Compensation Division to the Attorney General's Office, and created a methamphetamine precursor security bill.

Hood was born May 15, 1962, and reared in Houlka. A 1980 graduate from Houston High School, Hood received his bachelor's degree from the University of Mississippi in 1984 and his Juris Doctorate degree from the University of Mississippi School of Law in December 1988.

During his last semester in law school, Hood interned in the Criminal Division of the Attorney General's Office. After serving for a year as a law clerk to former Supreme Court Chief Justice Armis E. Hawkins, Hood worked as a Special Assistant Attorney General for five years under Attorney General Mike Moore.

In 1995, Hood was elected District Attorney for the Third Circuit Court District, which includes Benton, Calhoun, Chickasaw, Lafayette, Marshall, Tippah, and Union counties. Hood was elected again without opposition in 1999.

He and his wife Debbie are the parents of three children, Rebecca, Matthew, and Annabelle Leigh. They are Baptists. Rebecca and Matthew attend public schools.

Duties: The Attorney General is the chief legal officer and advisor for the State with responsibility to serve as lawyer for the State, its public officials, and governmental agencies. The Attorney General has the sole power under Mississippi law to bring or defend a lawsuit on behalf of the State. He or she is also empowered to act as counsel to state agencies and to defend them or bring suit on their behalf, either in person or through assistants.

The Attorney General employs a staff of attorneys, investigators, and office personnel, chosen because of legal talents or other skills. The major duties, divisions, and sections of this office are Civil Litigation, Criminal Litigation, Consumer Protection, Crime Prevention Victim Services, Medicaid Fraud, Opinions and Local Government, Prosecutors Training, Public Integrity, and State Agencies. The Attorney General is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 6, § 173. Miss. Code Ann. § 7-5-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 26 years of age, a practicing attorney for five years, and a citizen of the state for five years next preceding the day of election.

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State Auditor

PHIL BRYANT

Phil Bryant was first appointed to this position in November 1996 to serve the unexpired term of his predecessor. Bryant was elected to a full term as State Auditor in November 1999 and reelected in 2003.

Auditor Bryant has taken a tough stand on public corruption, one that is not swayed by personal political agendas. Since taking office in 1996, Bryant and his staff have recovered and returned over $6 million in taxpayers dollars that have been embezzled or improperly spent, while aggressively investigating public corruption within state and local governments. Annually the agency audits approximately $11 billion of taxpayers dollars for legal compliance and efficiency.

Prior to becoming State Auditor, Bryant served five years as a member of the House of Representatives, where he was Vice Chairman of the Insurance Committee and authored the Capital Gains Tax Cut Act of 1992. He has served as Chairman of the E-Government Committee for the National State Auditors Association (NSAA) and as Vice Chairman of the Mississippi Legislative E-Government Oversight Committee. Bryant is a principal member of the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers. He has been a long standing member of the National Rifle Association's Institute for Legislative Action and is a past President of the Mississippi Republican Elected Officials Association. Bryant is a distinguished member of the National Society of Collegiate Scholars.

Bryant is a strong believer in giving back to his community. He is a mentor and serves on the boards of the Mississippi Mentoring Network, Mission Mississippi, Partnership for Healthy Mississippians, Methodist Children's Homes, and is a former member of Habitat for Humanity.

Bryant has been honored for performing his duties with integrity, honesty, and a true commitment to excellence. These notable awards include the prestigious Henry Toll Fellowship and the Distinguished Alumnus Award for the Department of History and Political Science at Mississippi College. He was inducted into the University of Southern Mississippi's Hall of Fame and was named Hinds Community College's Alumnus of the Year.

For his relentless pursuit to expand Electronic Government on the state and local level, Bryant received the "In the Arena Award" presented by the Center for Digital Government and was the 2003 recipient of the "Mississippian of the Year Award" presented by the Association of Information Technology Professionals (AITP). In 2001, Bryant was selected as the most respected statewide elected official by the Magnolia Report Poll. He was also honored with a federal appointment by the United States Secretary of Treasury to

serve on the U.S. Taxpayers Advocacy Panel (TAP).

Bryant is a lifelong Mississippian and a committed member of his community. He is married to the former Deborah Hays of Jackson and they have two children. The Bryants are active members of St. Mark's United Methodist Church.

Duties: The State Auditor has major responsibilities in the areas of maintaining the State's accounting system; auditing all state agencies, county governments, county school districts, junior colleges, and universities; conducting investigations into abuse of public funds and violations of law; prescribing systems of accounting and financial reporting for local governments; conducting inventory audits of all state property and maintaining the inventory of all state property; and performing average daily attendance (ADA) counts in the state's public schools. The State Auditor is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 5, §§ 113, 115, 134, and 136. Miss. Code Ann. §§ 7-7-1, et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: The State Auditor must be at least 25 years of age and a resident of the state for five years preceding the day of election.

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State Treasurer

TATE REEVES

Tate Reeves was elected Mississippi's fifty-third treasurer on November 4, 2003. At 30 years of age, Treasurer Reeves is the youngest State Treasurer currently serving in the country. Tate is also the youngest Mississippian ever to be elected to statewide office.

Tate is a native of Rankin County and is a graduate of Florence High School. He is an honors graduate of Millsaps College, with a degree in Economics. While at Millsaps, he played point guard for the Millsaps Majors Basketball Team. Tate remains active in his alma mater, serving as a board member of the General Louis Wilson Fund, a student-managed mutual fund created by business faculty to expose students to the investment industry.

Treasurer Reeves holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation, which is a standard measure for competence and integrity in the investment industry. He is the first C.F.A. charter holder to serve as State Treasurer.

During his first year in office, he was elected by his peers in the National Association of State Treasurers as Vice President of that organization and as President of its Southeastern Region.

Tate and his wife Elee are the parents of one child, Sarah Tyler. Tyler was born during her dad's first year in office. Elee Williams Reeves is a native of Tylertown.

Duties: The duties of the State Treasurer are analogous to those of Chief Financial Officer in the business world. Among the Treasurer's duties are maintenance of various financial records, including receipts, deposits, and disbursements of the funds that accumulate in the state Treasury. These funds are derived from a number of sources, including funds provided by the federal government, proceeds from the issuance of bonds, interest payments, and any revenue stream that flows into the state's coffers. Perhaps the most recognizable of these revenue streams are income and sales taxes. The Treasurer also is responsible for investing state funds in investment portfolios and maintaining as high a return as possible on our investments. The Treasurer also pays state warrants, serves as custodian of securities held by other state agencies, manages the Unclaimed Property Program, and administers MPACT and MACS, which are acronyms for two pre-paid college savings programs. Perhaps the most significant responsibility of the Treasurer is his oversight of the process of issuing bonds. Bonds are one of the most important aspects of state government. A bond is basically a credit line that banks issue to the state.

The Treasurer serves as a member of the State Bond Commission, Public Employees' Retirement Board, Mississippi Business Finance Corporation, Development Bank Board, License Tag Commission, Mississippi Home Corporation, Tort Claims Board, Economic Development Strategic Planning Task Force, State Prison Emergency and Management Board, Mississippi Educational Facilities Authority for Private Nonprofit Institutions of Higher Learning (MEFA), and the Historic Properties Trust Fund Advisory Committee. The Treasurer is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Const. 1890, Article 5, §§ 125, 134, and 136. Miss. Code Ann. § 7-9-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years of age, and a citizen of the state for five years next preceding the day of election.

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Also Served

State Treasurer

PEYTON PROSPERE

July 1, 2003 – January 8, 2004

Peyton Prospere, a native of Washington County, was appointed by Governor Ronnie Musgrove in June 2003 to serve the remainder of Marshall Bennett's term as State Treasurer. Prospere's experience as a bond attorney and a specialist in securities and municipal finance law prepared him well to lead the State Treasury Office. Under Prospere's leadership, the Treasury developed a State Cash Flow Model to improve the accuracy of state projections of revenue and expenditures and completed the state's $360 million funding for the Nissan automotive facility.

He currently serves as Director of Policy and Administration for the City of Jackson.

Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce

LESTER SPELL

Lester Spell was elected Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce in 1995 and is serving his third term. He is a Republican.

As Commissioner, Spell served a two-year term as president of the Southern United States Trade Association (SUSTA), an organization to promote international marketing efforts, and he has also served as president of the Southern Association of State Departments of Agriculture (SASDA). He is chairman of the Mississippi Fair Commission and the Central Farmers' Market Board. He is past president of the Mississippi Municipal Association, Mississippi Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association, and the Rankin County Chamber of Commerce.

Spell was born December 24, 1942, in Rankin County. He attended Mississippi State University and received his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from Auburn University. In 1970, he returned to

Mississippi and began practicing veterinary medicine after serving two years in the U.S. Army where he achieved the rank of Captain. In his farming operation, he has raised blueberries, sweet corn, and pumpkins, and has overseen the family's timber and wildlife management programs.

Spell began public service in 1975 when he was elected mayor of Richland, an office he held until 1996.

Spell is a deacon and member of First Baptist Church of Jackson. Dr. Spell was married to the former Sandra Dawson, who passed away in 2003, and has two children, Jason and Katie.

Duties: The Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce was created in 1906 by the Mississippi Legislature to foster and promote the business of agriculture under the management and control of an elected state official known as the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce.

The Department performs regulatory functions in the areas of aquaculture inspection for all non-native species of fish and gamefish for stocking and food consumption purposes; agricultural theft; meat, fruit, and vegetable inspection; feed, seed, fertilizer, and soil and plant amendment inspection; weights and measures; public grain warehouse inspection; pulpwood measurement; insect and plant disease inspection and quarantine; pesticide inspection; egg inspection; retail food inspections; sanitation excluding food services; rendering plant inspection; syrup labeling inspection; honey and honey product labeling inspection; and catfish and catfish product labeling inspection. The Department operates a seed testing laboratory, a metrology laboratory.

The Department's Marketing Development and International Trade divisions promote the sale of Mississippi agricultural products, both nationally and internationally, through such programs as Make Mine Mississippi and the Farmers' Market Nutrition Program. Market information and agricultural statistics are distributed through the Department's crop reporting and market news service which publishes the bi-monthly Mississippi Market Bulletin. The Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Code Ann. § 69-1-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector with a general knowledge of agriculture, mining, manufacturing, statistics, and general industries, and an experienced and practical agriculturalist.

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Commissioner of Insurance

GEORGE DALE

When George Dale was elected Commissioner of Insurance in 1975, he became the youngest Insurance Commissioner in Mississippi history. Now in his eighth term, Commissioner Dale is the longest-serving Insurance Commissioner in the United States. He is a native of Jefferson Davis County and a graduate of Prentiss public schools. He attended Pearl River Junior College and graduated from Mississippi College with bachelor's and master's degrees.

Commissioner Dale was a teacher, coach, and school administrator in the Moss Point public school system prior to entering state government in 1972. He is active in volunteer work for a number of charities and organizations and serves on the Board of Trustees of Mississippi College. Commissioner Dale and his wife, the former Yvette Bosarge of Moss Point, have five children. They are members of Northside Baptist Church in Clinton where he serves as a deacon.

Duties: The Insurance Commissioner is charged with execution of all laws relative to all insurance companies, corporations, associations or orders, and their agents and adjusters. In performance of this charge, he or she licenses and regulates practices of all insurance companies, burial associations, fraternal societies, and associations of all types, including motor clubs, bail bondsmen and their agents, insurance agencies, and adjusters. The Insurance Commissioner licenses manufacturers and dealers of mobile homes and regulates their practices, including inspecting their manufacturing techniques and standards. The office enforces the liquefied compressed gas inspection program. The State's standard fire code is administered by the Commissioner through the department's State Fire Marshal Division. The Insurance Commissioner also serves as State Fire Marshal and Chairman of the State Fire Academy. The Insurance Commissioner is elected to a four-year term and may be re-elected. Miss. Code Ann. § 83-1-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years of age, and a citizen of the state for five years next preceding the day of election.

Contact the Commissioner of Insurance

George Dale
P.O. Box 79
Jackson 39205

(601) 359-3569/(f) (601) 359-2474

Via the Internet:

E-mail: commissioner@mid.state.ms.us
Website: www.doi.state.ms.us

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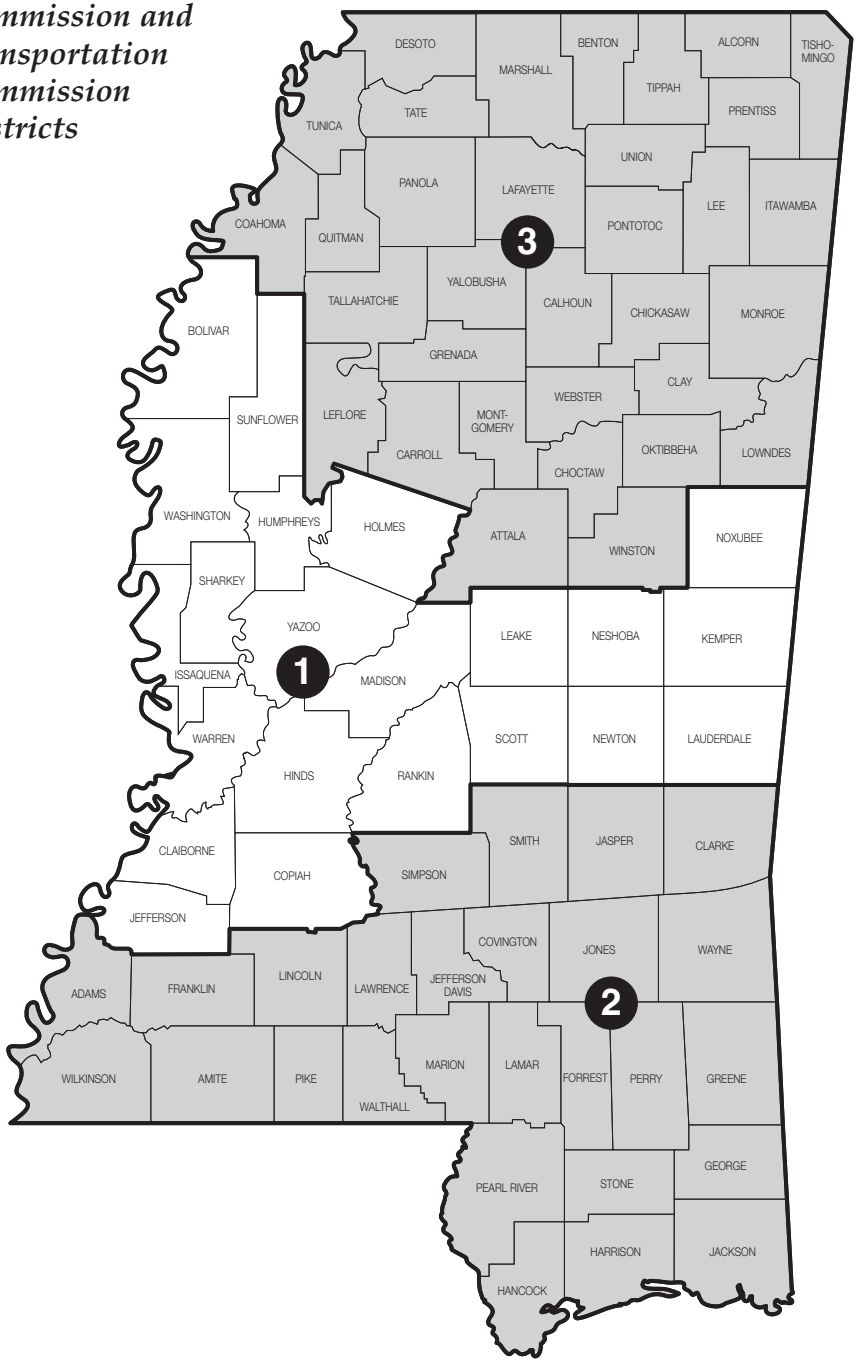
Public Service Commission and Transportation Commission Districts



Public Service Commissioners

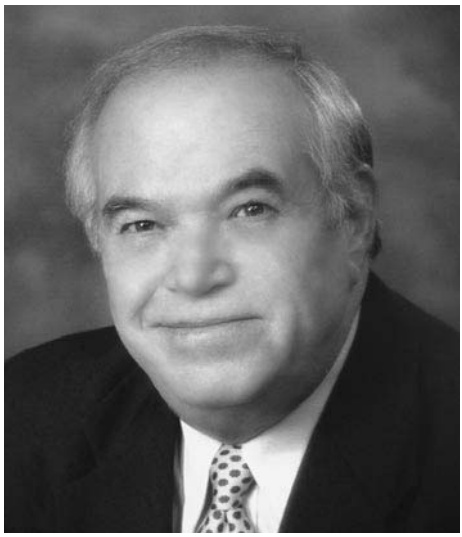
Duties and Qualifications for Public Service Commissioners

Duties: Public Service Commissioners are elected to represent the three Supreme Court Districts of the state. For-hire transportation, communication, electric, gas, water, and sewer utilities are under the supervision and regulation of this Commission. It is the Commission's responsibility to see that rates and charges for service are just and reasonable, that the approved rate schedules are adhered to, that the service rendered is reasonably adequate, and that the facilities constructed or acquired are required for the convenience and necessity of the public. In carrying out its responsibility, the Commission must answer complaints, make investigations, and conduct both formal and informal meetings. Public Service Commissioners are elected to four-year terms and may be re-elected. Miss. Code Ann. § 77-1-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years of age, a resident of the state for five years preceding the day of election, and a resident of the Supreme Court District in which election is sought.

Website: www.psc.state.ms.us

For more information about the Public Service Commission, see page 522.



Public Service Commissioner
Central District (1)

NIELSEN COCHRAN

Nielsen Cochran was elected Central District Public Service Commissioner in 1983 and is currently serving his fifth term. He is a Republican. Cochran is a member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissions. He also served as president of the Central Mississippi Planning and Development District and is a past member of the National League of Cities Transportation and Communication Policy Committee. He was appointed to a three-year term on the National Liquid Hazardous Material Board by former Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole. Cochran was born in Pontotoc on January 14, 1941, the son of the late W.H. and Emma Grace Cochran and the brother of Senator Thad Cochran. His family moved to Byram in 1946, where he graduated from high school. A former professional baseball player for the Baltimore Orioles, he attended Mississippi College and Northern State College in South

Dakota. Cochran was elected Jackson City Commissioner in 1977 and was re-elected in 1981. He is married to the former Connie Dell of Aberdeen, SD, and they have two sons, Scot and Jason.

Public Service Commissioner
Southern District (2)

MICHAEL CALLAHAN

Michael Callahan is currently serving his second term as Southern District Public Service Commissioner. Commissioner Callahan was first elected in November 1999, and was the youngest commissioner ever elected to the commission. He served as Chairman of the Commission from January 2002 until January 2004.

Since taking office, Commissioner Callahan has actively become involved with two regulatory organizations: the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, where he serves on the Electricity Committee, and the Southeastern Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, where he serves as 2nd Vice President.

Commissioner Callahan attended the University of Southern Mississippi on a football scholarship and played the position of lineman. Commissioner Callahan graduated with a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice in 1989 and proceeded to the Mississippi College School of Law, where he received a Doctorate of Juris Prudence.

After college, Commissioner Callahan worked for the law firm of Lee Rowell & Associates until becoming a Criminal Investigator and Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial District in Hattiesburg. Upon leaving the District Attorney's Office in 1995, Michael started his own law practice, Hall & Callahan. He practiced law until accepting the position of District Director of the Southern District Public Service Commission, a position he held until February 1999.

Commissioner Callahan married the former Melissa Hudson of Long Beach. They reside in Hattiesburg with their three children, Michael Hudson, Katlyne Ann, and Victoria Louise. The Callahans belong to the First Baptist Church of Hattiesburg.

Public Service Commissioner
Northern District (3)

DORLOS (BO) ROBINSON

Bo Robinson was appointed as Northern District Public Service Commissioner in December 1989. He was elected in November 1991 and is currently serving his fourth term. He is a Democrat. He has been a member of the Governor's Task Force on Safe Drinking Water and Waste Water and continues to serve in his appointment to the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners Water Committee. He served four years as a member of the Public Education Forum of Mississippi and the Governor's School Task Force Program. Robinson is co-owner, with his son, of Robinson Farms in Hamilton. He is also co-owner of Hamilton Gin and Cotton Company, Cottonhouse, Inc., M&R Farms, and R&W Land Company. He is a director of First South Production Credit Association and is a past president of the Southern Ginner's Association.

Robinson was born January 6, 1935, in Hamilton. A member of the American Legion, he served in the Air Force for three years and in the Mississippi National Guard for nine years. He began his public service career as Sheriff of Monroe County from 1968 to 1972. He served in the Mississippi House of Representatives from 1980 to 1990. Robinson is married to the former Betty Irvin of Hamilton. They have two grown children, Tony and Deandra, and five grandchildren. Commissioner and Mrs. Robinson are members of Hamilton United Methodist Church, and he serves as a lay speaker.

The Governor's Mansion (Jackson-circa 1842) is the second oldest executive residence in the United States that is continuously occupied by the Governor. The Mansion is on the National Register of Historic Landmarks.

Transportation Commissioners

Duties and Qualifications for Transportation Commissioners

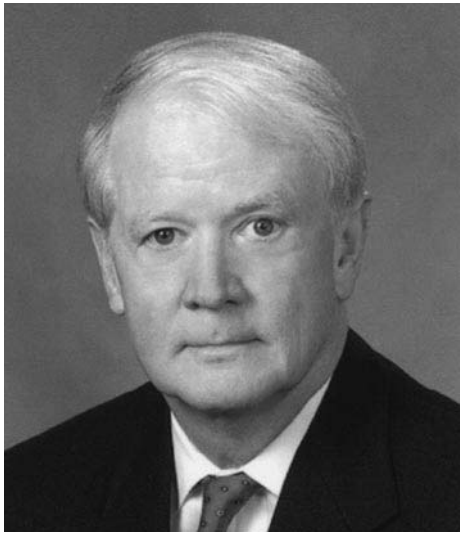
Duties: Transportation Commissioners are elected from the three Supreme Court Districts of the state and have the authority and responsibility for the control and supervision of all modes of transportation in the state dealing with aeronautics, highways, public transit, and rail safety. The Commission appoints an Executive Director of the Department of Transportation to carry out the policies set by the Commission.

The Department of Transportation has full and general supervision over all matters relating to airport development, highway construction and maintenance, weight enforcement, public transit, and rail planning. The Department also works with state colleges, universities, and other state agencies in transportation-related matters. Transportation Commissioners are elected to four-year terms and may succeed themselves in office. Miss. Code Ann. § 65-1-1 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector and a resident of the Supreme Court District in which election is sought.

Website: www.mdot.state.ms.us

For more information about the Transportation Commission, see page 422.



Transportation Commissioner
Central District (1)

DICK HALL

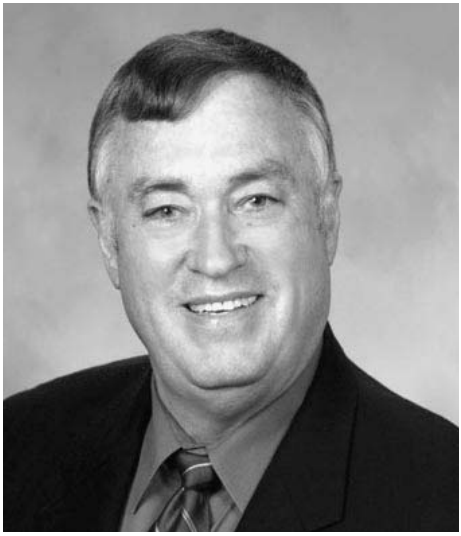
Dick Hall was appointed Transportation Commissioner in 1999 by Governor Kirk Fordice to fill the unexpired term for the Central District of Mississippi, which covers 22 counties with a population of almost one million people. Hall, a Republican, was elected to a full term in November 1999 and re-elected to a second four-year term in 2003.

Prior to his appointment as Transportation Commissioner, Hall served six terms as a member of the Mississippi Legislature – three in the House and three in the Senate. During that time, he served as chairman of the Environment Committee in both the House and Senate, as well as chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee and the Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

Hall's community involvement has included serving on the Board of Directors of the Metro Jackson Chamber of Commerce, the YMCA, and the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra. He has served as chairman of the Mississippi Manufacturers Association, the Mid-Mississippi March of Dimes, and presently as an officer in the Jackson Touchdown Club.

In the course of his political career and community involvement, Hall has received many honors. He was chosen as 1994 Alumnus of the Year by the Mid-Mississippi Chapter of the MSU Alumni Association. Other credits include being the first recipient of the Hugh L. White Free Enterprise Award and Conservation Legislator of the Year.

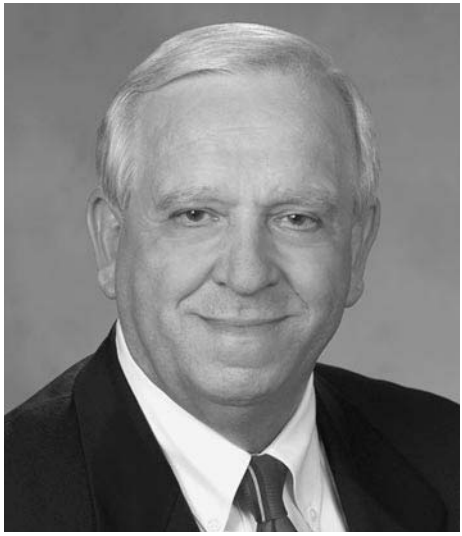
Hall was born May 12, 1938, in Vicksburg, grew up in Jackson, and earned a bachelor's degree from Mississippi State University. He and his wife, the former Jennifer Wilson of Fulton, attend Lakeside Presbyterian Church. He is the father of three sons, Bob, Chris and Don (deceased). Jennifer is the mother of two children, Allison and Nathan.



Transportation Commissioner
Southern District (2)

WAYNE BROWN

Wayne Brown was elected Transportation Commissioner January 12, 1999, to fill the unexpired term of Ronnie Shows. Brown won election to a full term in November 1999 and again in November 2003. He is a Democrat. He is a former county engineer for George, Greene, and Jackson counties. Brown is past president of the Mississippi Board of Registration for Engineers and Land Surveyors, the Mississippi Association of Professional Land Surveyors, the Mississippi Consulting Engineers Council, and a chapter of the Mississippi Engineering Society. He is a member of the Mississippi Homebuilders Association, Masonic Lodge and Rotary International, and the Board of Directors for Century Bank in Lucedale. He is a Mason, Rotarian, Red Cross Volunteer, Paul Harris Fellow, and ACEC Fellow. Brown was born October 12, 1937, in Lucedale. He graduated from Lucedale High School and earned a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from Mississippi State University. He worked during and after college with the Mississippi Highway Department and started the TAB Map Company in 1967, mapping 43 Mississippi counties. Brown and his wife, the former Vermell Goff of Lucedale, are the parents of five children and the grandparents of six. The Browns are members of Shady Grove Baptist Church in Lucedale where he is church clerk and a Sunday School teacher.



Transportation Commissioner
Northern District (3)

BILL MINOR

Bill Minor was elected Transportation Commissioner for Mississippi's Northern

District in 2003. Born and raised in Benton County, Minor graduated from Hickory Flat High School and attended Northwest Community College. He joined his brother in establishing Minor Brothers Plumbing which grew into a chain of hardware stores in North Mississippi.

Before being elected Transportation Commissioner, Minor served in the Senate for 20 years representing Marshall, Benton, and DeSoto counties. He served as vice chairman and chairman of the Senate Highway Committee and helped orchestrate the passage of the 1987 Four-lane Highway Program. He also chaired the committees on Finance, Public Utilities, and Highways and Transportation.

Territorial Governors 1798-1817

Winthrop Sargent 1798-1801
William C.C. Claiborne 1801-1805
Robert Williams 1805-1809
David Holmes 1809-1817

Governors 1817-2008

David Holmes 1817-1820
George Poindexter 1820-1822
Walter Leake 1822-1825
Gerard Chittocque Brandon 1825-1826
David Holmes 1826
Gerard Chittocque Brandon 1826-1832
Abram M. Scott 1832-1833
Charles Lynch 1833
Hiram G. Runnels 1833-1835
John Anthony Quitman 1835-1836
Charles Lynch 1836-1838
Alexander Gallatin McNutt 1838-1842
Tilghman Mayfield Tucker 1842-1844
Albert Gallatin Brown 1844-1848
Joseph W. Matthews 1848-1850
John Anthony Quitman 1850-1851
John Isaac Guion 1851
James Whitfield 1851-1852
Henry Stuart Foote 1852-1854
John Jones Pettus 1854
John J. McRae 1854-1857
William McWillie 1857-1859
John Jones Pettus 1859-1863
Charles Clark 1863-1865
William Lewis Sharkey 1865
Benjamin Grubb Humphreys ...1865-1868
Adelbert Ames 1868-1870
James Lusk Alcorn 1870-1871
Ridgley Ceylon Powers 1871-1874
Adelbert Ames 1874-1876
John Marshall Stone 1876-1882
Robert Lowry 1882-1890
John Marshall Stone 1890-1896
Anselm Joseph McLaurin 1896-1900
Andrew Houston Longino 1900-1904
James Kimble Vardaman 1904-1908
Edmond Favor Noel 1908-1912
Earl LeRoy Brewer 1912-1916
Theodore Gilmore Bilbo 1916-1920
Lee Maurice Russell 1920-1924
Henry Lewis Whitfield 1924-1927
Dennis Murphree 1927-1928
Theodore Gilmore Bilbo 1928-1932
Martin S. (Mike) Conner 1932-1936
Hugh Lawson White 1936-1940
Paul Burney Johnson, Sr. 1940-1943
Dennis Murphree 1943-1944
Thomas Lowry Bailey 1944-1946
Fielding L. Wright 1946-1952
Hugh Lawson White 1952-1956

James Plemon (J.P.) Coleman . . .1956-1960
Ross Robert Barnett 1960-1964
Paul Burney Johnson, Jr. 1964-1968
John Bell Williams 1968-1972
William Lowe (Bill) Waller, Sr. . .1972-1976
Charles Clifton (Cliff) Finch 1976-1980
William Forrest Winter 1980-1984
William A. (Bill) Allain 1984-1988
Ray Mabus 1988-1992
Daniel Kirkwood (Kirk) Fordice .1992-2000
Ronnie Musgrove 2000-2004
Haley Barbour 2004-present

Lieutenant Governors 1817-1832

Duncan Stewart 1817-1820
James Patton 1820-1822
David Dickson 1822-1824
Gerard Chittocque Brandon 1824-1826
Abram M. Scott 1828-1832
Fountain Winston 1832

The Office of Lt. Governor was abolished by the Constitution of 1832, and the duties of President of the Senate were incorporated into a separate office.

Presidents of the Senate 1833-1870

Charles Lynch 1833-1834
P. Briscoe 1834-1836
W. Van Norman 1836-1837
Alexander Gallatin McNutt 1837-1838
A.L. Bingaman 1838-1840
G.B. Augustus 1840-1842
Jesse Speight 1842-1843
A. Fox 1843-1844
Jesse Speight 1844-1846
G.T. Swan 1846-1848
Dabney Lipscomb 1848-1851
James Whitfield 1851-1854
John J. Pettus 1854-1858
James Drane 1858-1865
John M. Simonton 1865-1869

The Constitution of 1869 re-established the office of Lieutenant Governor. This office also re-assumed the duties of President of the Senate.

Lieutenant Governors 1870-2008

Ridgley C. Powers 1870-1871
A.K. Davis 1871-1876
John M. Stone 1876-1878
William H. Sims 1878-1882
G.D. Shands 1882-1890
M.M. Evans 1890-1896
J.H. Jones 1896-1900
James T. Harrison 1900-1904
John Prentiss Carter 1904-1908
Luther Manship 1908-1912
Theodore Gilmore Bilbo 1912-1916
Lee Maurice Russell 1916-1920
Homer Harris Casteel 1920-1924
Dennis Murphree 1924-1927
Clayton Bidwell Adams 1928-1932
Dennis Murphree 1932-1936
Jacob Buehler Snider 1936-1940
Dennis Murphree 1940-1943
Fielding L. Wright 1944-1946
Sam Lumpkin 1948-1952
Carroll Gartin 1952-1960
Paul Burney Johnson, Jr. 1960-1964
Carroll Gartin 1964-1966
Charles L. Sullivan 1968-1972
William Forrest Winter 1972-1976
Evelyn Gandy 1976-1980
Bradford Johnson (Brad) Dye, Jr. 1980-1992
Eddie Briggs 1992-1996
Ronnie Musgrove 1996-2000
Amy Tuck 2000-present

Territorial Secretaries 1798-1817

John Steele 1798-1801
Cato West 1803-1805
Thomas Hill Williams 1805
Cowles Mead 1806-1807
Thomas H. Williams 1807-1809
Henry Dangerfield 1810-1814
Nathaniel A. Ware 1815-1816

Secretaries of State 1817-2008

Daniel Williams 1817-1821
John A. Grimball 1821-1833
D.C. Dickson 1833-1835
Barry W. Benson 1835-1837
David Dickson 1837-1839
T.B. Woodward 1839-1841
L.G. Galloway 1841-1843
Wilson Hemingway 1843-1847
Samuel Stamps 1847-1850
Joseph Bell 1850-1852
James A. Horne 1852-1854
William H. Muse 1854-1855
A.B. Dilworth 1855-1860
B.R. Webb 1860
C.A. Brougher 1860-1865
A. Warner 1865-1869
Henry Musgrove 1869
James Lynch 1869-1872
Hiram R. Revels 1872-1873
H.C. Carter 1873
M.M. McLeod 1873
H.C. Carter 1873-1874
James Hill 1874-1878
Kinloch Falconer 1878
D.P. Porter 1878
Henry C. Myers 1878-1886
George M. Govan 1886-1896
John Logan Power 1896-1901
Joseph Withers Power 1901-1926
Walker Wood 1926-1948
Heber Austin Ladner 1948-1980
Edwin Lloyd (Ed) Pittman 1980-1984
Dick Molpus 1984-1996
Eric Clark 1996-present

Territorial Treasurers General 1802-1817

Abner Green
Samuel Brooks

State Treasurers 1817-2008

Samuel Brooks 1817-1818
Peter Schuyler 1818-1821
Samuel C. Wooldridge 1821-1828
James Phillips, Jr. 1828-1836
Charles C. Mayson 1836-1838
James Phillips 1838
J.A. Vanhoesen 1838-1839
Silas Brown 1839
S. Craig 1839
James G. Williams 1839
Joshua S. Curtis 1840-1841
Richard S. Graves 1841-1843
William Clark 1843-1847
Richard Griffith 1847-1851
William Clark 1851-1854
Shields L. Hussey 1854-1860
M.D. Haynes 1860-1865
W.B. Weaver 1865
John H. Echols 1865-1869
William H. Vassar 1869-1874
G.H. Holland 1874-1875
M.L. Holland 1875
William L. Hemingway 1875-1890
J.J. Evans 1890-1896

A.Q. May 1896-1900
J.R. Stowers 1900-1901
George W. Carlisle 1901-1902
Thad B. Lampton 1902-1904
William Jones Miller 1904-1908
George Robert Edwards 1908-1912
Peter Simpson Stovall 1912-1916
John Peroutt Taylor 1916-1920
Larkin Seymour Rodgers 1920
William Moseley Murry 1920-1924
Ben Shem Lowry 1924-1928
Webb Walley 1928-1932
Lewis S. May 1932-1936
Newton James 1936-1940
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R.W. May 1948-1952
Newton James 1952-1956
Robert D. Morrow, Sr. 1956-1960
Evelyn Gandy 1960-1964
William Forrest Winter 1964-1968
Evelyn Gandy 1968-1972
Bradford Johnson (Brad) Dye, Jr. 1972-1976
Edwin Lloyd (Ed) Pittman 1976-1980
John L. Dale 1980
William J. (Bill) Cole III 1980-1988
Marshall G. Bennett 1988-2003
Peyton Prospere 2003-2004
Tate Reeves 2004-present

Territorial Auditors 1798-1817

Charles B. Howell
Beverly R. Grayson
Park Walton

State Auditors 1817-2008

John R. Girault 1817-1821
John Richards 1821-1822
Hiram G. Runnels 1822-1830
Thomas B.J. Hadley 1830-1833
John H. Mallory 1833-1837
A.B. Saunders 1837-1842
J.E. Matthews 1842-1847
George T. Swann 1847-1851
Daniel R. Russell 1851-1855
Madison McAfee 1855-1859
E.R. Burt 1859-1861
A.B. Dilworth 1861-1862
A.J. Gillespie 1862-1865
Thomas T. Swann 1865-1869
Henry Musgrove 1869-1874
William H. Gibbs 1874-1878
Sylvester Gwin 1878-1886
W.W. Stone 1886-1896
W.D. Holder 1896-1900
William Qualls Cole 1900-1904
T.M. Henry 1904-1908
Elias Jefferson Smith 1908-1912
Duncan Lafayette Thompson 1912-1916
Robert A. Wilson 1916-1920
W.J. Miller 1920-1924
George Dumah Riley 1924-1928
C.C. White 1928-1932
Joe S. Price 1932-1936
Carl N. Craig 1936-1940
J.M. Causey 1940-1944
Bert J. Barnett 1944-1948
Carl N. Craig 1948-1952
William Donelson Neal 1952-1956
E. Boyd Golding 1956-1960
William Donelson Neal 1960-1964
William Hampton King 1964-1984
Ray Mabus 1984-1988
Pete Johnson 1988-1992
Steven A. Patterson 1992-1996
Phil Bryant 1996-present

Territorial Attorneys General 1799-1817

Lyman Harding 1799-1803
George Poindexter 1803-1807
Seth Lewis, West District 1807-1808
William B. Shields, West District .1808-1814
Christopher Rankin, West District .1814-1817
Nicholas Perkins, East District . .1807-1809
Lemuel Henry, East District 1809-1812
Joseph Carson, East District 1812-1817
Louis Winston, Madison County 1809-1817

Attorneys General 1818-2008

Lyman Harding 1818-1820
Edward Turner 1820-1821
Thomas B. Reed 1821-1825
Richard Stockton 1825-1828
George Adams 1828-1829
Robert H. Buckner 1829-1830
R.M. Gaines 1830-1834
M.D. Patton 1834-1837
T.F. Collins 1837-1841
John D. Freeman 1841-1853
D.C. Glenn 1853-1857
T.J. Wharton 1857-1865
Charles E. Hooker 1865-1868
Jasper Myers 1868-1870
Joshua S. Morris 1870-1874
George E. Harris 1874-1878
Thomas C. Catchings 1878-1885
Thomas S. Ford 1885-1886
T. Marshall Miller 1886-1893
Frank Johnston 1893-1896
Wiley N. Nash 1896-1900
Monroe McClurg 1900-1903
William Williams 1903-1907
Robert Virgil Fletcher 1907-1908
J. Bowman Sterling 1908-1910
Shepherd Spencer Hudson 1910-1912
Rosser Alexander Collins 1912-1920
Frank Roberson 1920-1923
C.D. Potter 1923-1924
Rush Hightower Knox 1924-1928
George T. Mitchell 1928-1932
Greek L. Rice 1932-1952
James Plemon (J.P.) Coleman . . .1952-1956
Joseph Turner Patterson 1956-1969
Albioun Fernando Summer 1969-1980
William A. (Bill) Allain 1980-1984
Edwin Lloyd (Ed) Pittman 1984-1988
Mike Moore 1988-2004
Jim Hood 2004-present

Commissioners of Insurance 1902-2008

William Qualls Cole 1902-1908
Thomas Monroe Henry 1908-1928
Ben Shem Lowry 1928-1932
George D. Riley 1932-1935
J.H. Johnson 1935-1936
J.S. Williams 1936-1948
Jesse L. White 1948-1952
Walter Dell Davis 1952-1972
Evelyn Gandy 1972-1976
George Dale 1976-present

Territorial Registers of the Land Office 1803-1817

Edward Turner, west of Pearl River . .1803
Joseph Chambers, east of Pearl River 1804
Henry Dangerfield, west of Pearl River 1804
Thomas Fitzpatrick, west of Pearl River 1804
Thomas H. Williams, west of Pearl River 1805
Nicholas Perkins, east of Pearl River . .1806
Nicholas Gray, west of Pearl River . . .1815
Alexander Pope, Mississippi 1817

Land Commissioners 1877-1980

John M. Smylie 1877-1884
P.M. Doherty 1884-1886
John R. Enochs 1886-1888
J.W. McMaster 1888-1890
Edgar S. Wilson 1890-1896
John M. Simonton 1896-1898
Edwin Hargrove Nall 1898-1909
James Lewis Gillespie 1909-1912
Mark Anthony Brown 1912-1921
R.D. Moore 1921-1940
Guy McCullen 1940-1948
W.L. McGahey 1948-1956
Robert Earl Graham 1956-1968
Watt Carter 1968-1976
John Ed Ainsworth 1976-1980

The office of Land Commissioner was abolished by the Legislature in 1980, and its duties were assumed by the Secretary of State's Office.

Commissioners of Agriculture and Commerce 1906-2008

Henry Edward Blakeslee 1906-1916
Peter Parley Garner 1916-1928
J.C. Holton 1928-1940
Silas Edward Corley 1940-1968
Jim Buck Ross 1968-1996
Lester Spell 1996-present

Gubernatorial Succession

When the office of Governor shall become vacant, by death or otherwise, the Lieutenant Governor shall possess the powers and discharge the duties of the office. When the Governor shall be absent from the state, or unable, from protracted illness, to perform the duties of the office, the Lieutenant Governor shall discharge the duties of said office until the Governor be able to resume his duties; but if, from disability or otherwise, the Lieutenant Governor shall be incapable of performing said duties, of if he be absent from the state, the President of the Senate Pro Tempore shall act in his stead; but if there be no such president, or if he be disqualified by like disability, or be absent from the state, then the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall assume the office of Governor and perform the duties; and in case of the inability of the foregoing officers to discharge the duties of Governor, the Secretary of State shall convene the Senate to elect a President Pro Tempore. The officer discharging Gubernatorial Succession the duties of Governor shall receive as compensation while performing such duties, the compensation to which he is regularly entitled by law for service in the position to which he was elected and, in addition thereto, an amount equal to the difference between such regular compensation and the compensation of the Governor. Should a doubt arise as to whether a vacancy has occurred in the office of Governor or as to whether any one of the disabilities mentioned in this section exists or shall have ended, the Secretary of State shall submit the question in doubt to the judges of the Supreme Court, who, or a majority of whom, shall investigate and determine the question and shall furnish to the Secretary of State an opinion, in writing, determining the question submitted to them, which opinion, when rendered as aforesaid, shall be final and conclusive. Mississippi Constitution of 1890, § 131, as amended December 8, 1992.

Legislative Branch

"The legislature is a custodian of the affairs of the people of the state of Mississippi."

Robert Clark
Mississippi State House of Representatives
(1968-2004)

I always say that it is the function of the legislative branch of government to help people help themselves. The legislature is a custodian of the affairs of the people of the state of Mississippi. State legislators should strive to provide the best possible life for citizens with the resources the state provides.

For too long in Mississippi, too many people in responsible positions have said, "We cannot do this in Mississippi." But I've always maintained the position that Mississippi is no different from any other state. Our legislators should hold on to traditions of the past, but only if those traditions are worthy. Clinging to something from the past that may be a deterrent to the state's progress is not a responsible way to legislate.

Sometimes traditions take time to change. I first ran for state Representative in 1967, because I felt that the state could do more to educate its citizens – making an education more accessible and ensuring its quality. I am an educator by profession, and the two main planks of my platform were compulsory school attendance and establishment of an early childhood education system in the state. It took until 1982, with the passage of the Education Reform Act, for those improvements to become law.

During my thirty-six year tenure in the Legislature, I witnessed its evolution from a closed door operation to one that embraced a more open and inclusive process. Due to the passage of the sunshine laws and the establishment of subcommittees, not only are more legislators involved in the law-making process today, but the general public also now has more opportunities to provide input and ultimately impact legislation.

We're not where we're supposed to be, but God in heaven knows we're further along than we were. Law-making in Mississippi has come a long way. I offer that the only way for Mississippi to enjoy the success it is supposed to have is for legislators to remain focused on the one common objective of improving our state for all its citizens.

ESSAY BY ROBERT CLARK,
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Mississippi Legislative Branch

Duties: The state Constitution places law-making authority in the Legislature which also has the power of the purse, a constitutional provision that no money can be spent from the state's treasury unless the Legislature passes a law to do so. The Senate has advice and consent over appointments made by the Governor. The power of impeachment is vested solely in the House; the power to try impeachment lies in the Senate. The House has the duty to elect the Governor if no candidate receives a majority of both the popular vote and the electoral vote in the general election.

Redistricting: The Constitution requires the Legislature to draw new, contiguous state legislative districts every ten years to reflect changes in population. No more than 52 Senatorial Districts and 122 House of Representative Districts are allowed. The Mississippi Legislature is also charged with the responsibility of drawing districts for the U.S. House of Representatives following each census. If the Legislature does not adopt the new legislative districts in the time allowed by the Constitution, a five-member commission consisting of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court as chairman, the Attorney General, the Secretary of State, the Speaker of the House of Representatives,

and the president pro tempore of the Senate must do so. Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. XIII, § 254. Miss. Code Ann. §§ 5-3-81 et seq. (1972).

Qualifications. Senators and Representatives are elected for four-year terms and may be elected to successive terms.

A Senator must be at least 25 years of age at the time he or she takes office, a resident for two years of the district to be represented, and a qualified elector of the state for four years. Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. IV, § 42. The qualifying fee is $15.

A Representative must be at least 21 years of age at the time he or she takes office, a resident citizen of the state for four years, a resident of the district to be represented for two years immediately preceding the election, and a qualified elector of the state. Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. IV, § 41. The qualifying fee is $15.

Officers. The president and presiding officer of the Senate is the Lieutenant Governor; the second in command is the president pro tempore. The presiding officer of the House of Representatives is the Speaker of the House, a state Representative who is elected to the position by House members. The Speaker Pro Tempore is the second-ranking Representative.

Terms and Sessions. Legislators are administered the oath of office by the Secretary of State on the first day of the regular session of the year following election. The Constitution requires the Legislature to convene yearly on the Tuesday after the first Monday in January.

Volume of Legislation. During each regular session, the Legislature sends to the Governor more than 600 bills to be signed into law. Frequently, more than one-fourth of those bills involve the finance of state government (appropriations). Approximately 20 - 25 percent of all bills introduced become law. The Secretary of State's Office assigns chapter numbers to the bills, distributes copies according to law, and certifies the bills for legal proceedings as requested.

Rules. The Constitution stipulates that bills may originate in either chamber of the Legislature. It empowers each chamber to determine its own rules of procedure, although each is prohibited from adjourning for more than three days without the consent of the other chamber. Adjourning to places other than the House and Senate chambers is prohibited as well.

Each body adopts its own rules, although joint rules are adopted to govern legislative procedures that affect the orderly flow of bills between the houses.

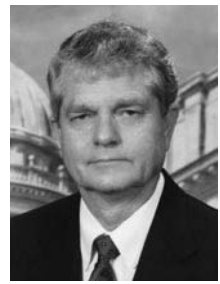
Length of Session. The Constitution provides for legislative sessions to last no more than 90 days except for the first session of a new term, which may exceed no more than 125 days. Sessions may be extended when necessary by two-thirds vote in both houses. The Governor may call a special session whenever he or she deems it necessary. Numerous legislative committees also work between sessions on a wide variety of proposals. In addition, individual legislators often use the interim months to research and prepare bills for the next session. Members also work to help the citizens they represent.

Accountability. Legislative accountability to the people of Mississippi is provided by publication of all proceedings in Senate and House journals which are published by the Secretary of State. Moreover, the Constitution requires that the doors of each chamber shall be open "except in cases which may require secrecy."

Lieutenant Governor

AMY TUCK

Duties: President of the Senate. Elected in state-wide election for a four-year term and may be re-elected for one succeeding term. Presides over the Senate, rules on points of order, nominates standing committees of Senate, and appoints all select and conference committees as ordered by Senate. Member of the Senate Rules Committee. Directs authority over officers and employees of Senate. Votes only in cases of ties and speaks from the floor while the Senate is in Committee of the Whole. Signs all finally approved bills and resolutions. For more information about the Lieutenant Governor, see pages 49-50 and page 480.



Speaker of the House

WILLIAM J. MCCOY

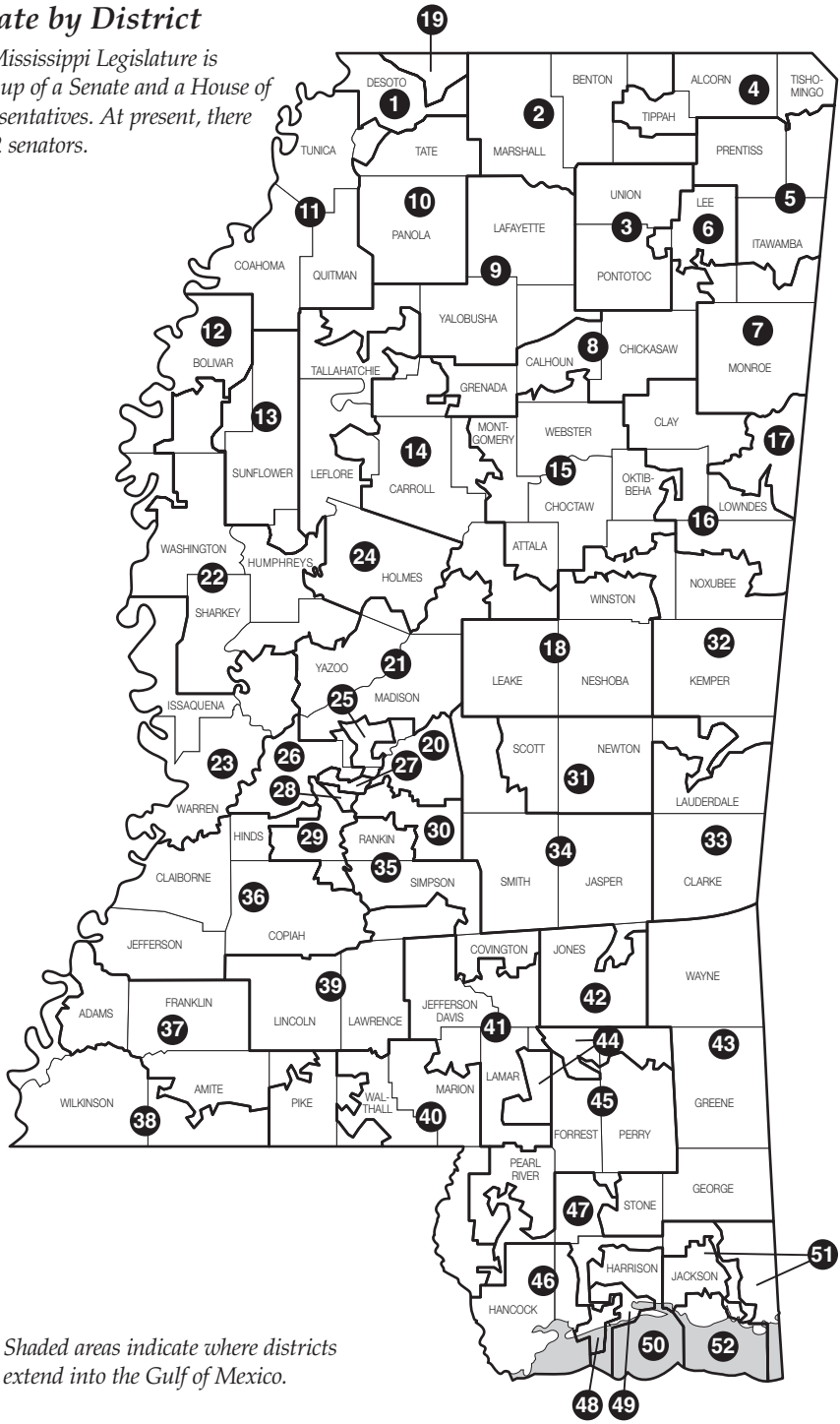
Duties: Elected by the members of the House for a term of four years and may be re-elected. Responsible for preserving order and decorum in the House. All committees of the House, except the Rules Committee and the Management Committee, are appointed by the Speaker unless otherwise specifically directed by the House. Serves as an ex officio member of the Rules Committee and the Management Committee. All questions on which the House votes are put by the Speaker, and he or she shall determine if the proposition has carried. Besides these duties, he or she is a member and alternating Chairman of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee.

Mississippi Senate by District

Travis Little (4), President Pro Tempore
Doug Davis (1)
Ralph Doxey (2)
Nickey Browning (3)
J.P. Wilemon (5)
Alan Nunnelee (6)
Hob Bryan (7)
Jack Gordon (8)
Gray Tollison (9)
Nolan Mettetal (10)
Robert Jackson (11)
Johnnie Walls (12)
Willie Simmons (13)
Bunky Huggins (14)
Gary Jackson (15)
Bennie Turner (16)
Terry Brown (17)
Gloria Williamson (18)
Merle Flowers (19)
Charlie Ross (20)
Joseph Thomas (21)
Buck Clarke (22)
Mike Chaney (23)
David Jordan (24)
Walter Michel (25)
John Horhn (26)
Hillman Frazier (27)
Alice Harden (28)
Richard White (29)
Dean Kirby (30)
Terry Burton (31)
Sampson Jackson (32)
Videt Carmichael (33)
Billy Thames (34)
Perry Lee (35)
Lynn Posey (36)
Bob Dearing (37)
Kelvin Butler (38)
Cindy Hyde-Smith (39)
Sidney Albritton (40)
Billy Harvey (41)
Stacey Pickering (42)
Shannon Walley (43)
Tom King (44)
Ed Morgan (45)
Scottie Cuevas (46)
Ezell Lee (47)
Deborah Dawkins (48)
Billy Hewes III (49)
Tommy Gollott (50)
Tommy Robertson (51)
Tommy Moffat (52)

Senate by District

The Mississippi Legislature is made up of a Senate and a House of Representatives. At present, there are 52 senators.



Shaded areas indicate where districts extend into the Gulf of Mexico.

Mississippi State Senate

President Pro Tempore of the Senate

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Duties: Elected for four-year term by majority vote of Senators and may be re-elected. He or she shall be ex officio member and vice chairman of Senate Rules Committee. In absence of the President or at his or her request, shall act in his or her stead.

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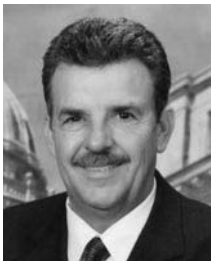

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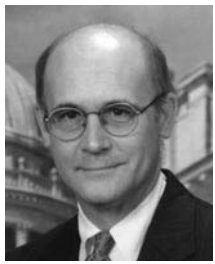

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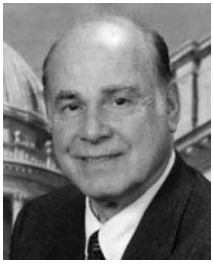

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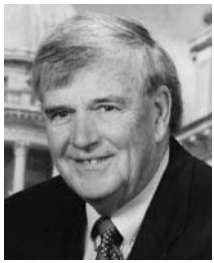

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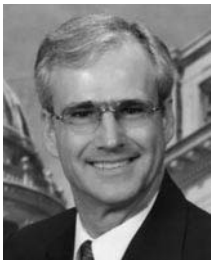

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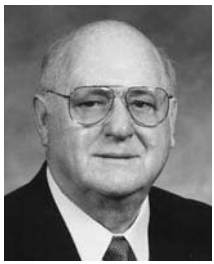

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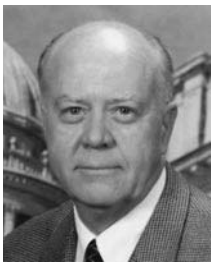

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Local and Private (5) – Ralph Doxey, Chairman; Billy Thames, Vice-Chairman; Tommy Gollott, Jack Gordon, Robert Jackson

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Oil, Gas and Other Minerals (11) – Bob Dearing, Chairman; James Walley, Vice-Chairman; Sidney Albritton, Doug Davis, Deborah Dawkins, Jack Gordon, Robert Huggins, Gary Jackson, Ezell Lee, T.O. Moffatt, Stacey Pickering

Ports and Marine Resources (11) – Tommy Gollott, Chairman; T.O. Moffatt, Vice-Chairman; Mike Chaney, Eugene Clarke, Scottie Cuevas, Deborah Dawkins, Billy Hewes, Ezell Lee, Ed Morgan, Thomas Robertson, James Walley

Public Health and Welfare (19) – Alan Nunnelee, Chairman; Terry Burton, Vice-Chairman; Hob Bryan, Eugene Clarke, Bob Dearing, Hillman Frazier, John Horhn, Robert Huggins, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Gary Jackson, Tom King, Travis Little, Nolan Mettetal, T.O. Moffatt, Ed Morgan, Willie Simmons, Billy Thames, Joseph Thomas, Bennie Turner

Public Property (7) – Sampson Jackson, Chairman; Walter Michel, Vice-Chairman; Nickey Browning, Videt Carmichael, Ezell Lee, Nolan Mettetal, Richard White

Public Utilities (11) – Tom King, Chairman; Robert Huggins, Vice-Chairman; Terry Burton, Billy Hewes, Sampson Jackson, Ezell Lee, Travis Little, Nolan Mettetal, T.O. Moffatt, Lynn Posey, Thomas Robertson

Rules (5) – Travis Little, Chairman; Thomas Robertson, Vice-Chairman; Terry Burton, Nolan Mettetal, Johnnie Walls

Special Committee for Election Contest of Senate Seats (5) – Terry Burton, Chairman; Ralph Doxey, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Lynn Posey, Thomas Robertson

Universities and Colleges (13) – Alice Harden, Chairman; Gary Jackson, Vice-Chairman; Mike Chaney, Doug Davis, Hillman Frazier, Tommy Gollott, Tom King, Nolan Mettetal, Ed Morgan, Stacey Pickering, Gray Tollison, Johnnie Walls, J.P. Wilemon

Veterans and Military Affairs (7) – Videt Carmichael, Chairman; John Horhn, Vice-Chairman; Nickey Browning, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Tom King, Walter Michel, Charlie Ross

Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks (11) – Lynn Posey, Chairman; Bob Dearing, Vice-Chairman; Sidney Albritton, Scottie Cuevas, Merle Flowers, Tommy Gollott, Robert Huggins, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Sampson Jackson, Ezell Lee, Walter Michel

Senate Members of Joint Committees

Enrolled Bills (5) – Stacey E. Pickering, Chairman; Perry Lee, Vice-Chairman; Robert Jackson, Willie Simmons, J.P. Wilemon

Executive Contingent Fund (5) – Johnnie Walls, Chairman; Lynn Posey, Vice-Chairman; Charlie Ross, Billy Thames, Richard White

Investigate State Offices (9) – David Jordan, Chairman; Billy Harvey, Vice-Chairman; Bob Dearing, Hillman Frazier, Sampson Jackson, Ezell Lee, T.O. Moffat, Alan Nunnelee, J.P. Wilemon

Legislative Budget Committee (7) – Amy Tuck, Chairman; Terry Burton, Hillman Frazier, Jack Gordon, Billy Hewes, Travis Little, Thomas Robertson

Legislative Reapportionment (10) – Terry Burton, Chairman; David Jordan, Vice-Chairman; Sidney Albritton, Hob Bryan, Videt Carmichael, Mike Chaney, Eugene Clarke, Deborah Dawkins, Walter Michel, Bennie Turner

PEER (7) – Merle Flowers, Robert G. Huggins, Sampson Jackson, Dean Kirby, Ezell Lee, Lynn Posey, Richard White

State Library (5) – Kelvin Butler, Chairman; Joseph Thomas, Vice-Chairman; Merle Flowers, John Horhn, Gloria Williamson

Presidents Pro Tempore of the Senate

Presidents Pro Tempore of the Mississippi Senate under provisions of the 1817 Constitution:

H.D. Owens, First Session, Second Gen. Assembly, 1819

Joseph Johnson, Third Session

Thomas Torrance, Fifth Session, Adjourned, 1822

Thomas Torrance, Sixth Session, 1822-1823

Bartley C. Barry, Eighth Session, 1825

Thomas Freeland, Ninth Session, 1826

William Dowsing, Eleventh Session, 1828

Parmenas Briscoe, Fifteenth Session, 1831

The Office of Lieutenant Governor was abolished by the Constitution of 1832, and was again established by the Constitution of 1869. The 1832 Constitution of the State of Mississippi stated that the "the Senate shall choose a president and its officers."

Presidents Pro Tempore of the Senate, 1833-1870:

Charles Lynch, 1833-1834

P. Briscoe, 1834-1836

W. Van Norman, 1836-1837

A.G. McNutt, 1837-1838

A.L. Bingham, 1838-1840

G.B. Augustus, 1840-1842

Jesse Speight, 1842-1843

G.T. Swan, 1846-1848

Dabney Lipscomb, 1848-1851

James Whitfield, 1851-1854

J.J. Pettus, 1854-1858

James Drane, 1858-1865

J.M. Simonton, 1865-1869

Presidents Pro Tempore of the Mississippi Senate, 1870 to present:

W.M. Hancock, 1870

Joseph Bennett, 1872

F.H. Little, elected presiding officer Pro Tempore to serve in absence of President Pro Tempore, 1872

F.H. Little, 1874

John M. Stone, elected President Pro Tempore of Senate June 3, installed Governor March 29, 1876

William H. Sims, elected President Pro Tempore, March 29, 1876

Reuben O. Reynolds, 1878

R.O. Reynolds, 1882

Reuben O. Reynolds, 1884

R.O. Reynolds, 1886

J.P. Walker, 1888

R.A. Dean, 1890

R.A. Dean, 1892

J.T. Harrison, 1896

J.R. Densmore, 1900

E.H. Moore, 1904

John L. Hebron, 1908

A.C. Anderson, 1912

C. Kendrick, 1916

J.D. Fatheree, 1920

M.P.L. Love, 1924

H.H. Casteel, 1928

W.C. Adams, 1932

John Culkin, 1936

W.B. Roberts, 1940

Oscar O. Wolfe, Jr., 1944

Oscar O. Wolfe, Jr., 1948

J.O. Clark, 1952

Earl Evans, Jr., 1956

George Yarbrough, 1960

George Yarbrough, 1964

Merle F. Palmer, 1968

Marion Smith, 1971

B.G. Perry, 1972

William B. Alexander, 1976

William B. Alexander, 1980

Thomas N. Brooks, 1984

Glen S. Deweese, 1986

Glen S. Deweese, 1988

Ollie Mohammed, 1992

Walter (Pud) Graham, 1994

Thomas A. Gollott, 1996

Travis L. Little, 2000

Travis L. Little, 2004

Mississippi House of Representatives by District

Billy McCoy (3), Speaker of the House

J.P. Compretta (122), Speaker Pro Tempore

Ricky Cummings (1)

Harvey Moss (2)

Greg Ward (4)

Kelvin Buck (5)

Forrest Hamilton (6)

Wanda Jennings (7)

Larry Baker (8)

Clara Burnett (9)

Warner McBride (10)

Leornard Morris (11)

Noal Akins (12)

Jack Gadd (13)

Margaret Rogers (14)

Pat Montgomery (15)

Steve Holland (16)

Brian Aldridge (17)

Jerry Turner (18)

Jamie Franks (19)

J.B. Markham (20)

Bill Miles (21)

Preston Sullivan (22)

Jim Beckett (23)

Sidney Bondurant (24)

John Mayo (25)

Chuck Espy (26)

Ferr Smith (27)

S. David Norquist (28)*

Linda Coleman (29)

Robert Huddleston (30)

Sara Thomas (31)

Willie Perkins (32)

Tommy Reynolds (33)

May Whittington (34)

Dannie Reed (35)

David Gibbs (36)

Gary Chism (37)

Tyrone Ellis (38)

Jeff Smith (39)

Ted Mayhall (40)

Esther Harrison (41)

Reecy Dickson (42)

Gale Gregory (43)

Scott Bounds (44)

Bennett Malone (45)

Bobby Howell (46)

Bryant Clark (47)

Mary Ann Stevens (48)

Willie Bailey (49)

John Hines (50)

Rufus Straughter (51)

Tommy Woods (52)

Bobby Moak (53)

Chester Masterson (54)

George Flaggs (55)

Philip Gunn (56)

Edward Blackmon (57)

Rita Martinson (58)

Clayton Smith (59)

John Moore (60)

Ray Rogers (61)

Tom Weathersby (62)

Walter Robinson (63)

Bill Denny (64)

Mary Coleman (65)

Cecil Brown (66)

Earle Banks (67)

Credell Calhoun (68)

Alyce Clarke (69)

Jim Evans (70)

John Reeves (71)

Erik Fleming (72)

Jim Ellington (73)

Mark Baker (74)

Tracy Arinder (75)

Gregory Holloway (76)

Clint Rotenberry (77)

Billy Nicholson (78)

Bo Eaton (79)

Omeria Scott (80)

Stephen Horne (81)

Charles Young (82)

Greg Snowden (83)

Eric Robinson (84)

Chuck Middleton (85)

Sherra Lane (86)*

Johnny Stringer (87)

Gary Staples (88)

Bobby Shows (89)

Joseph Warren (90)

Joey Hudson (91)

Jim Barnett (92)

Dirk Dedeaux (93)

Robert Johnson (94)

Jessica Upshaw (95)

Angela Cockerham (96)*

Sam Mims (97)

David Myers (98)

Robert Vince (99)

Virginia Carlton (100)

Joey Fillingane (101)

Lee Jarrell Davis (102)

Percy Watson (103)

Mike Lott (104)

Shaun Walley (105)

Herb Frierson (106)

Deryk Parker (107)

Mark Formby (108)

Frank Hamilton (109)

Billy Broomfield (110)

Carmel Wells-Smith (111)

John Read (112)

Hank Zuber (113)

Danny Guice (114)

Randall Patterson (115)

Leonard Bentz (116)

Michael Janus (117)

Roger Ishee (118)

Frances Fredericks (119)

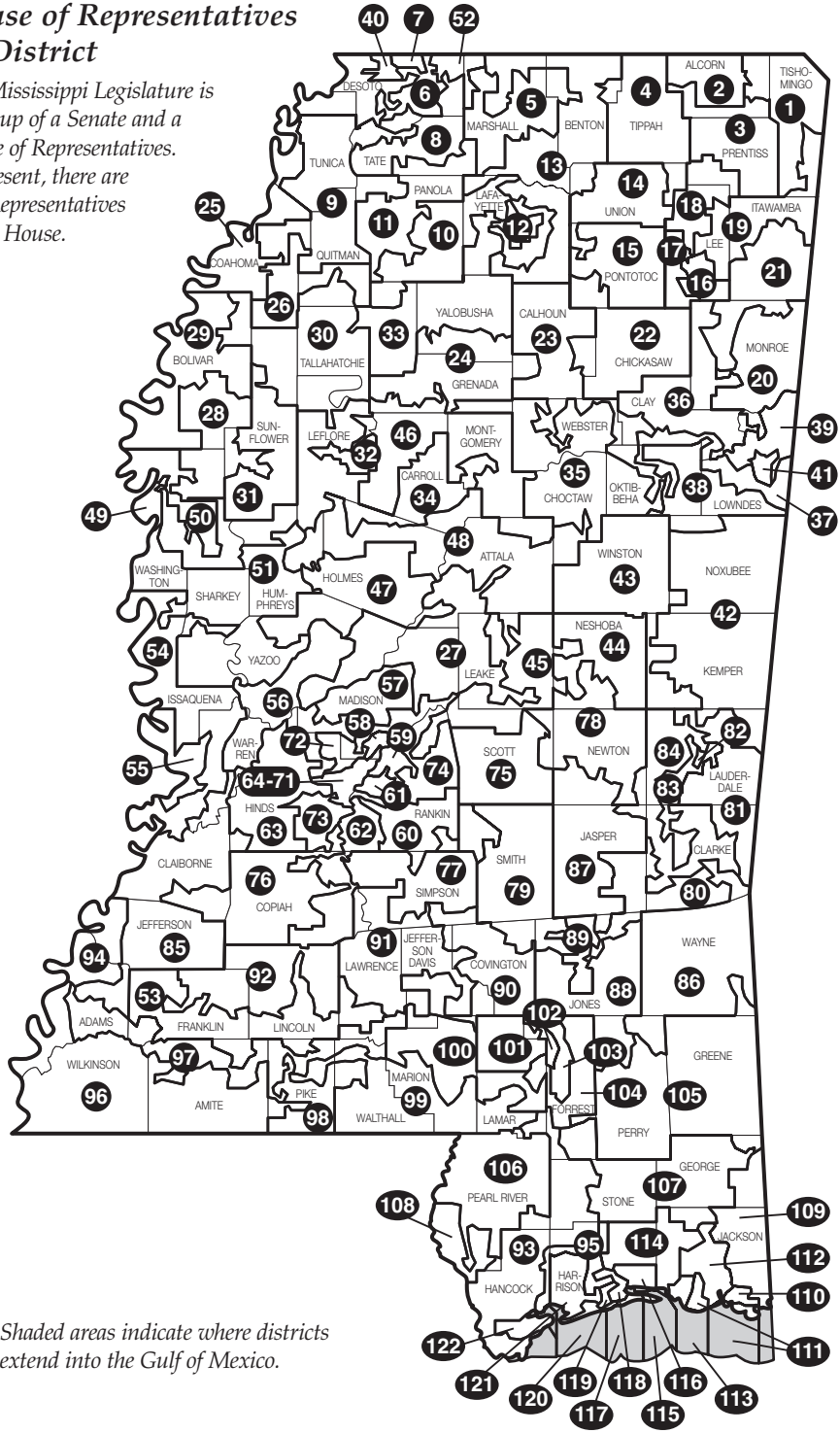
James Simpson (120)

Diane Peranich (121)

** elected after publication date, September 2005*

House of Representatives by District

The Mississippi Legislature is made up of a Senate and a House of Representatives. At present, there are 122 Representatives in the House.



Shaded areas indicate where districts extend into the Gulf of Mexico.

Mississippi State House of Representatives

Speaker of the House

WILLIAM J. (BILLY) MCCOY

District 3: Alcorn, Prentiss

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House 1980 – present. Born August 14, 1942, in Booneville. Booneville High, Northeast Mississippi Junior College, Mississippi State University. Farmer. Baptist. Mason, Scottish Rite, Shriner, Farm Bureau, former vocational agriculture teacher, loan officer Farmers Home Administration, school auditor Mississippi State Department of Audit, Board of Trustees Northeast Mississippi Community College. Wife, former Edith Leatherwood; two children. Democrat. Committees: Management; Legislative Budget.

Duties: Elected by the members of the House for a term of four years. Responsible for preserving order and decorum in the House. All committees of the House, except the Rules Committee and the Management Committee, are appointed by the Speaker unless otherwise specifically directed by the House. Serves as an ex-officio member of the Rules Committee and the Management Committee. All questions on which the House votes are put by the Speaker, and he shall determine if the proposition has carried. Besides these duties, he is a member and alternating Chairman of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee.

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Speaker Pro Tempore

JOSEPH PATRICK (J.P.) COMPRETTA

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House 1976 – 1984, 1988 – present. Born March 17, 1945, in Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Pearl River Junior College, University of Southern Mississippi, Mississippi College School of Law. Attorney. Episcopalian. Mississippi Bar Association, Mississippi Arts Fair for the Handicapped, former county prosecutor, city prosecutor, former assistant district attorney. Wife, former Kay Dorich; four children. Democrat. Committees: Management (Chmn.); Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Marine Resources; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

Duties: He or she shall be elected by the members of the House for a term of four years. He or she can serve consecutive terms. In absence of the Speaker, he or she shall act in his or her stead. He or she serves as an ex-officio Chairman of the House Management Committee and as an ex-officio member of the House Rules Committee.

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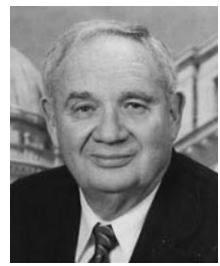

NOAL AKINS

District 12: Lafayette

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House 2004 – present. Born August 21, 1938, in Blue Mountain. Buena Vista High School, Northeast Mississippi Junior

College, Delta State University, University of Mississippi. Educator, Businessman. Baptist. Mississippi Home Builders Association, Three Rivers Banking Board, Chamber of Commerce, and Executive Board – Oxford University Bank. One child. Republican. Committees: Agriculture; Education; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Transportation; Universities and Colleges.

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District 75:
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House 2004 – present. Born July 19, 1951, in Jackson. Morton High School, Jones Junior College, East Central Community College. Owner Trucking Company, Farmer. Methodist. Master Mason of Morton Lodge #254, National Cutting Horse Association, Magnolia Cutting Horse Association, Morton Lions Club. Wife, former Sandy Donald; two children; one grandchild. Democrat. Committees: Agriculture; Corrections; Juvenile Justice; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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District 49:
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House 1995 – present. Born April 25, 1946, in Isola. McNair High School, Tougaloo College, George Washington University Law School. Attorney. Methodist. Tougaloo College National Alumni Association, Omega Psi Phi, Magnolia and Mississippi Bar Associations. Former judge, City of Leland. Wife, former Myrtis Ford; two children. Democrat. Committees: Judiciary B (V. Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Congressional Redistricting; Gaming; Judiciary En Banc; Legislative

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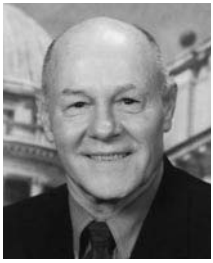

LARRY J. BAKER

District 8:
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House 2000 – present. Born January 1, 1940, in Tate County. Senatobia High School, University of the State of New York. Retired military, farmer, rancher. Baptist. Mississippi Cattlemen's Association, Gideon International, Mississippi and National Reserve Officers Associations, Mississippi Soil Conservation. Wife, former Elinor S. Veazey; three children. Republican. Committees: Agriculture; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Public Property; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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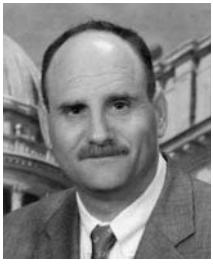

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District 74:
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House 2004 – present. Born May 13, 1962. University of Memphis, Mississippi College School of Law. Attorney. Rankin County Rotary Club, Rankin County Bar Association, Lakeside Presbyterian Church, Deacon. Wife, former Lady Collins; one son. Republican. Committees: Gaming; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Juvenile Justice; Local and Private Legislation; Transportation.

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House 1993 – present. Born June 25, 1954, in Jackson. Jackson State University, Mississippi College School of Law. Funeral director, attorney, insurance businessman. Roman Catholic. YMCA Board of Directors, Red Cross Board of Directors, Magnolia and Mississippi Bar Associations, Leadership Jackson, 100 Black Men, National and Mississippi Funeral Directors and Morticians Associations, Board of Directors of JSU Development Foundation, former chairman of Mississippi State Board of Funeral Service. Democrat. Committees: Gaming (V. Chmn.); Constitution; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Juvenile Justice; Public Health and Human Services; Public Utilities; Universities and Colleges.

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District 92: Copiah, Franklin, Lincoln

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House 1992 – present. Born December 8, 1926, in Edinburg. Tylertown High School,

Millsaps College, Tulane University, University of Mississippi School of Medicine, Southwestern Medical College of the University of Texas. Physician, surgeon, commercial pilot, retired Naval Flight Surgeon. Methodist. Pi Kappa Alpha, Phi Chi, Alpha Epsilon Delta, South Central Bank Board, past chair of Methodist Church Administrative Board, past vice-president of Civil Aeromedical Association, past president of Southern Medical Association, past chair of South Central Medical Society, past chair of Mississippi Board of Mental Health, past chair of Mississippi Aeronautics Commission. Wife, former Roberta Littlefield; eleven children. Republican. Committees: Ports, Harbors and Airports (V. Chmn.); Appropriations; Military Affairs; Public Health and Human Services; Public Property; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Universities and Colleges.

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House 2004 – present. Born July 25, 1958, in Bruce. Bruce High School, Northwest Community College, University of Mississippi, University of Mississippi Law School. Attorney. Baptist. Calhoun County, Mississippi and American Bar Associations, Mississippi Association of School Board Attorneys, Bruce Chamber of Commerce, Mississippi Prosecutors Association, Mississippi Association of City Attorneys. Wife, former Susan Bryant. Republican. Committees: Constitution; Forestry; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; Juvenile Justice; Universities and Colleges

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House 2004 – present. Born January 21, 1972, in Gulfport. Biloxi High School, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, University of Southern Mississippi. Former deputy sheriff, former MS Public Service Commission Investigator. Catholic. Knights of Columbus, Rotary, Biloxi Chamber, Biloxi Bay Chamber, D'Iberville / St. Martin Chamber, Young Business Leaders. Wife, former Amber Fayard. Republican. Committees: Conservation and Water Resources; Gaming; Juvenile Justice; Marine Resources; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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EDWARD BLACKMON, JR.

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House 1979 – 1980, 1984 – present. Born July 21, 1947, in Canton. Tougaloo College, George Washington University, Tuskegee Institute, Emory University. Attorney.

Baptist. NAACP, Magnolia and American Bar Associations, Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association. Wife, former Barbara Martin; three children. Democrat. Committees: Judiciary A (Chmn.), Judiciary En Banc (Chmn.), Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice Insurance (Co-Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Congressional Redistricting; County Affairs; Executive Contingent Fund; Legislative Reapportionment; Rules; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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House 2004 – present. Born September 19, 1946, in Philadelphia. Mississippi State University, Vanderbilt University. Physician. United Methodist. Mississippi State Medical Association, American Medical Association, American College of OB-GYN, Rotary Club, VFW, Vietnam Veteran. Wife, former Aida Buzon Valeriano. Democrat. Committees: Conservation and Water Resources; Forestry; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; Medicaid; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice Insurance.

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House 2004 – present. Born February 12, 1962, in Philadelphia. Philadelphia High School, Mississippi State University. Retail/Sales and Management, Building Supply, Home Center. Baptist. Neshoba County Fair Association, Ducks Unlimited. Wife, former Jennifer Cheatham. Democrat. Committees: Conservation and Water Resources; County Affairs; Interstate Cooperation; Military Affairs; Public Property; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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House 1991 – present. Born January 15, 1945, in Moss Point. Magnolia High School, Prentiss Institute, Enterprise Junior College. Project Coordinator at Northrop Grumman Ship System, Planner at Ingalls Ship Building. Methodist. 32nd Degree Mason, Shriner of Mecca Temple #1, Board of Directors of Boys and Girls Club of Jackson and George Counties. Wife, former Vera Dubose; two children; five grandchildren. Democrat. Committees: Ports, Harbors and Airports (Chmn.); Appropriations; Education; Military Affairs; Public Health

and Human Service; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Tourism.

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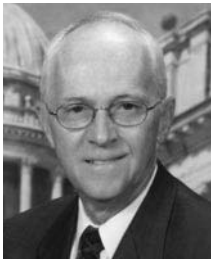

CECIL C. BROWN

District 66:
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House 2004 – present. Born August 28, 1941, in Tunica. Jackson State University, Delta State University. Retired teacher, funeral director. Methodist. Two children. Democrat. Committees: County Affairs; Education; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Gaming; Juvenile Justice; Labor.

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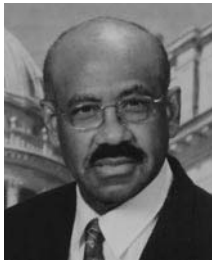

CREDELL CALHOUN

District 68:
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Jackson 39207
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House 1980 – 1992; 2004 – present. Born May 20, 1943, in Natchitoches, LA. Prairie View A & M University, Jackson State University. Businessman. Missionary Baptist. NAACP, AARP, Jayne Aire Community Association. Wife, former Peggy Hobson. Democrat. Committees: Enrolled Bills (Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Conservation and Water Resources; Education; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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GARY ALAN CHISM

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BRYANT W. CLARK

District 47: Attala, Holmes, Yazoo

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Kappa Alpha, Alcorn Alumni, Jack and Jill of America, Inc., Mississippi Public Health Association, Regional Association of Drug Free Schools and Communities, State PTA. Husband, Lee William Clarke, Jr.; one child. Democrat. Committees: State Library (Chmn.); Education; Juvenile Justice; PEER; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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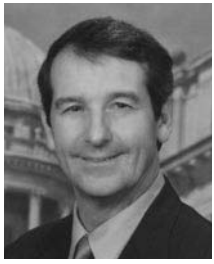

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House 1996 – present. Born October 16, 1972, in Picayune. Mississippi College. Appliance Parts Company Customer Service. Baptist. Wife, former Robin Freret; two children. Democrat. Committees: Medicaid (V. Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Conservation and Water Resources; Insurance; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; PEER; Public Health and Human Services.

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District 64:
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House 1988 – present. University of Maryland. Sr. V.P. SE Operations, Barclays/American, Multi-National Banking. Retired. Catholic. State Chairman of American Legislative Exchange Council, National Republican Legislative Association, Past Legislator of the Year Award, former president MS Republican Elected Officials Association, MS Legislative Conservative Coalition (Board of Directors), former State Executive Committee MS Republican Party, Korean Veteran, United States Air Force. Wife, former Sue Johnsey; four children. Republican. Committees: Appropriations; Banking and Financial Services; Constitution; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Municipalities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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House 1993 – present. Born October 24, 1944, in Macon. Mississippi Valley State, Mississippi State University. Small business owner, insurance agent. Baptist. Former

County Superintendent of Education. Husband, Billie C. Dickson; four children. Democrat. Committees: Insurance (V. Chmn.); Appropriations; Corrections; Education; Municipalities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Tourism.

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House 2000 – present. Born April 24, 1975, in Clarksdale. Southern University, Baton Rouge. CEO, Century Funeral Home and Burial Association. Methodist. The Chuck Espy Foundation, Foundation for Education and Economic Development chairman, NAACP, Omega Psi Phi, Mason, President's Council on Race Relations, National Council on Race Initiative. Wife, former Lynn Pettis; two children. Democrat. Committees: Agriculture; Conservation and Water Resources; Juvenile Justice; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Public Health and Human Services.

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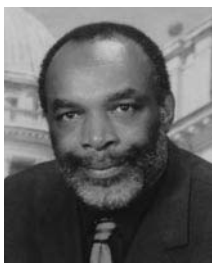

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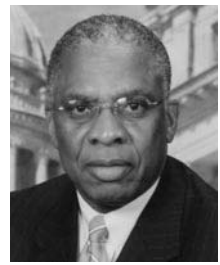

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District 106: Lamar, Pearl River

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House 1992 – present. Born July 19, 1958, in Jackson. Pearl River Community College, Mississippi State University. Real Estate Broker. Baptist. Mason, Chamber of Commerce, NRA, Ducks Unlimited. Wife, former Cheryl Ann Young; two children. Democrat. Committees: Marine Resources (Chmn.); Agriculture; Appropriations; County Affairs; Education; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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House 1992 – present. Born October 21, 1955, in Memphis, TN. Hickory Flat High School, Northwest Community College, University of Mississippi. Baptist. Volunteer fireman. McLean Institute, Ole Miss Alumni Association, MAB. Wife, former Pebble Stone; three children. Democrat. Committees: Universities and Colleges (V. Chmn.); Appropriations; Ethics; Public Property; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation.

DAVID GIBBS

District 36: Clay, Lowndes, Monroe

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JAMES GALE GREGORY

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District 114: Harrison, Jackson

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House 2004 – present. Born July 4, 1941, in Olive Branch. University of Mississippi. Pharmacist. Baptist. Mississippi Pharmacists Association, NPIB, NARD, Chamber of Commerce. Wife, former Patricia Bennett; one child. Republican. Committees: Agriculture; County Affairs; Juvenile Justice; Medicaid; Municipalities.

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House 2000 – present. Born June 10, 1946, in Columbus. Hunt High School, Alcorn State University, Mississippi University for Women. Former teacher, former administrator for Minority Business Development. African Methodist Episcopal. Turner Chapel AME Church, Zeta Phi Beta, Sorority Inc., Eastern Star, Life Member NAACP, SCLC, NANBPW, Inc., Lowndes County Democratic Executive Committee, Helping Hands. One child. Democrat. Committees: Investigate State Offices (V. Chmn.); Constitution; Education; Labor; Medicaid; Military Affairs; Ports, Harbors and Airports.

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Directors' Association, Scottish Rite Mason, Shriner, Civitan, Tombigbee EPA Board. Wife, former Gloria Temple; four children. Democrat. Committees: Public Health and Human Services (Chmn.); Agriculture; Appropriations; Gaming; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Legislative Budget; Medicaid; Rules; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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District 46: Attala, Carroll, Grenada, Leflore, Montgomery

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House 1992 – present. Born December 23, 1941, in Winona. Kilmichael High School, Delta State University, University of Mississippi. Pharmacist. Baptist. ALEC, Lions, Montgomery County Economic Development Partnership, Mississippi Pharmacy Association, National Community Pharmacist Association, American Pharmacist Association, former mayor of Kilmichael. Wife, former Charmayne Killebrew; two children. Republican. Committees: Ways and Means (V. Chmn.); Banking and Financial Services; Conservation and Water Resources; Juvenile Justice; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Accessible

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House 1997 – present. Born March 25, 1930, in Dushau, LA. Louin High School, Louisiana State University. Retired computer and electronics instructor, United States Air Force. Lutheran. Life Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Wife, former Doris Klein; two children. Republican. Committees: Conservation and Water Resources (V. Chmn.); Ethics; Insurance; Juvenile Justice; Military Affairs; Public Property; Universities and Colleges.

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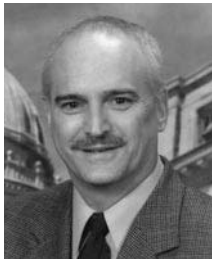

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House 2000 – present. Born February 26, 1933, in Crowder. Northwest Junior College, University of Mississippi, University of Tennessee Medical School, Tulane University. Physician, retired. Baptist. AMA, MSMA, WMMS, American College of Surgeons, American Academy of Otolaryngology, past president of Rotary Club of Vicksburg. Wife,

former Martha Gordon; four children. Republican. Committees: Constitution; County Affairs; Insurance; Medicaid; Ports, Harbors and Airports; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice Insurance.

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American Tech. Electrical technician, business owner. Church of Christ. U.S. Army Veteran, Founder of Friends for Progress. Wife, former Shirley Jenkins. Democrat. Committees: County Affairs (V. Chmn.); Agriculture; Appropriations; Public Property; Public Utilities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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District 60:
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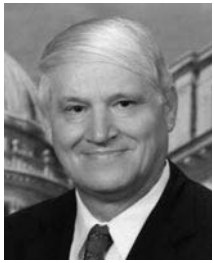

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House 1984 – present. Born July 17, 1951, in Corinth. Northeast Mississippi Junior College, University of Mississippi. Attorney. Baptist. Mason, Shriner, Alcorn County and Mississippi Bar Associations.

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District 98:
Pike, Walthall

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House 1996 – present. Born December 30, 1961, in McComb. Hinds Community College, Southwest Community College (Pre-Law). Contractor, home inspector. Baptist. Master Mason, NAACP, U.S. Army Reserve, Boys and Girls Club, Project Forward, LOOK, Parents Teachers Association, City of McComb Selectman, former fireman and policeman. Wife, former Brenda K. Sibley; two children. Democrat. Committees: Municipalities (V. Chmn.); Education; Enrolled Bills; Investigate State Offices; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; Public Utilities.

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House 2004 – present. Born December 9, 1964, in Hattiesburg. George County High School, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College. Director, Materials Management. Southern Baptist. Wife, former Dana Chisholm; two children. Democrat. Committees: Agriculture; County Affairs; Corrections; Education; Transportation; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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Harrison

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Mississippi, William Carey College. Methodist. American Legislative Exchange Council, Biloxi Chamber of Commerce, Biloxi Bay Chamber of Commerce, Association of General Contractors of Mississippi, City of Biloxi Plumbing, Mechanical Board, Biloxi Elks Lodge #606. Wife, former Vickie Lackey; two children. Democrat. Committees: Constitution; Marine Resources; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Public Property; Tourism; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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District 121:
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House 1988 – present. Born January 11, 1940, in Biloxi. Roman Catholic. Advisory Council to Mississippi Development Authority, National Conference of State Legislatures, VFW Auxiliary, Friends of Pass Christian Library, Crime Stoppers Board of Directors. Husband, John Peranich; four children. Democrat. Committees: Tourism (Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Appropriations; Congressional Redistricting; Conservation and Water Resources; Legislative Budget Committee; Legislative Reapportionment; Ports, Harbors and Airports; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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Commerce. Former councilman and mayor. Two children. Republican. Committees: Appropriations (V. Chmn.); Conservation and Water Resources; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Investigate State Offices; Public Health and Human Services; Rules; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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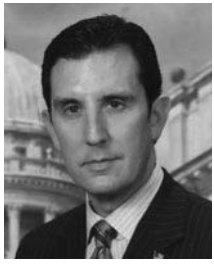

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District 71:
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House 1984 – present. Born March 15, 1957, in Jackson. Wingfield High School, University of Mississippi, University of Mississippi Law School. Attorney. Baptist. Mississippi Bar Association, Council of State Governments, Energy Council, Southern States Energy Board, Code Compliance and Revision Committee, Rotary Club. Wife, former Karen Anne Hudson; five children. Republican. Committees: Oil, Gas and Other Minerals (Chmn.); Conservation and Water Resources; Education; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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Clarke, Jasper, Lauderdale, Newton

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House 1993 – present. Born December 7, 1949, in Mobile, AL. Quitman High School, Jones Junior College, University of Southern Mississippi. Insurance, retired. Baptist. NRA, Chamber of Commerce, former alderman, appointed to Selective Service Board by President Reagan. Wife, former Teresa Irby; two children. Republican. Committees: Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks (Chmn.); Insurance; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; Local and Private Legislation; Management; Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice Insurance; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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District 63:
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House 1984 – present. Born October 9, 1947, in Bolton. Utica Junior College, Mississippi Valley State University, Jackson State University. Funeral director. Baptist. Wife, former Jeardine Jones; two children. Democrat. Committees: Municipalities (Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Insurance; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; PEER; Rules; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Tourism; Ways and Means.

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District 61:
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Banking and Financial Services; Education; Executive Contingent Fund; Management; PEER; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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District 89: Jones

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Baptist. Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, Gulfport Gridiron Club, State and Federal Bar Associations, former school board attorney, city attorney, city prosecutor, municipal judge pro tempore. Wife, former Traci Schroeder; four children. Republican. Committees: Judiciary A (V. Chmn.); Judiciary En Banc; Marine Resources; Ports, Harbors and Airports; Public Utilities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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youth court judge, municipal judge. Wife, former Laura D. Terrell; four children. Democrat. Committees: Judiciary B (Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Ethics; Fees and Salaries of Public Officers; Public Health and Human Services; Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice Insurance; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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District 83:
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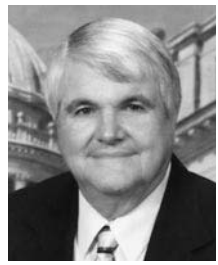

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Jones, Perry

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and member West Garden Club, former official Mississippi Women's Clubs, former alderman and mayor of West. Husband, A.J. Stevens III; one child. Democrat. Committees: Executive Contingent Fund (Chmn.), Appropriations; Insurance; Judiciary A, Judiciary En Banc; Municipalities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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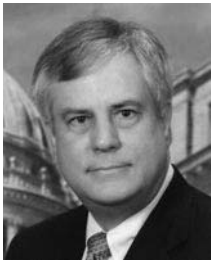

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District 87: Jasper, Jones, Newton

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Hancock, Harrison

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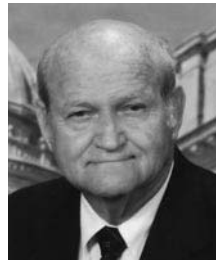

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District 99:
Lamar, Marion,
Pike, Walthall

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House 1980 – present. Born December 19, 1930, in Tylertown. University of Southern Mississippi. Retired teacher. Baptist. Chamber of Commerce, SWMCC Alumni, USM Alumni, Mason, Shriner. Wife, former Mary Breeland. Democrat. Committees: Ethics (Chmn.); Appropriations; Corrections; Management; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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J. SHAUN WALLEY

District 105:
Forrest, George, Greene, Perry, Wayne

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House 2005 – present. Born March 7, 1977, in Lucedale. Greene County High School, Jones County Junior College, University of Southern Mississippi. Educator, coach. Baptist. Member of University of Southern Mississippi Alumni Association. Democrat.

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GREG WARD

District 4: Benton, Tippah, Union

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House 2000 – present. Born April 19, 1950, in Ripley. Ripley High School, Northeast Community College, Mississippi State University. Owner of Quality Glass. Church of Christ. Tippah County Development Foundation, National Federation of Independent Business, National Association of Home Builders. Wife, former Judy Ormon; three children. Democrat. Committees: State Library (V. Chmn.); Agriculture; Corrections; Education; Public Utilities; Transportation.

JOSEPH LAWRENCE (JOE) WARREN

District 90: Covington, Forrest, Jefferson Davis, Marion, Simpson

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House 1980 – present. Born May 31, 1952, in Magee. Mount Olive Attendance Center, Jones County Junior College, University of Southern Mississippi, Mississippi College School of Law. Attorney. Presbyterian. Lions Club, Covington County Landowners' Association, Covington County Cattleman's Association. Wife, former Susan Duckworth; two children. Democrat. Committees: Rules (Chmn.), Apportionment and Elections; Appropriations; Congressional Redistricting; Education; Judiciary B; Judiciary En Banc; Legislative Reapportionment; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability.

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PERCY WILLIS WATSON

District 103:
Forrest

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House 1980 – present. Born June 5, 1951, in Hattiesburg. University of Iowa, University of Iowa College of Law. Attorney. Baptist. Omega Psi Phi, Phi Beta Kappa, Iowa, Alaska, Mississippi and Magnolia Bar Associations, Area Development and Planning, Jesse Brown Lodge, NAACP. Wife, former Barbara

Smith; five children. Democrat. Committees: Ways and Means (Chmn.); Enrolled Bills; Investigate State Offices; Judiciary A; Judiciary En Banc; Legislative Budget Committee; Management; Select Committee on Accessible and Affordable Medical Malpractice; State Library.

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THOMAS C. (TOM) WEATHERSBY, SR.

District 62: Copiah, Rankin, Simpson

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House 1992 – present. Born July 24, 1944, in Jackson. Florence High School, Hinds Junior College, University of Southern Mississippi, Mississippi College. Business owner. Baptist. Deacon, Mason, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Rankin and Copiah Counties Chambers of Commerce, Mississippi Cattlemen's Association, NRA, ALEC, Florence Lions Club. Wife, former Beverly Cook; three children. Republican. Committees: Public Property (Chmn.); Appropriations; Conservation and Water Resources; Education; Public Utilities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation.

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CARMEN (CARMEL) ELLEN WELLS-SMITH

District 111: Jackson

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House 1993 – present. Born November 4, 1966, in Pascagoula. Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, University of South Alabama, Millsaps College. Mortgage broker, property owner/manager. Baptist. Kiwanis, Chamber of Commerce, Board of Directors of WZZJ Christian Radio, Mississippi Arts Fair for the Handicapped, GF/MFWC Evening Civic League, Jackson County Republican Women. Husband, Parker Smith; two children. Republican. Committees: Juvenile Justice (V. Chmn.); Ethics; Marine Resources; Oil, Gas and Other Minerals; Public Health and Human Services; Public Utilities.

MAY RINGOLD WHITTINGTON

District 34: Carroll, Holmes, Humphreys, Leflore, Montgomery, Washington

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Schlater 38952
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House 2000 – present. Born November 16, 1942, in Winona. Oglethorpe University, Delta State University. Counselor. Episcopalian. Chi Sigma Iota, Rotary, Cottonlandia, Greenwood Little Theatre, Chamber of Commerce, Academy of Family Mediators, Mississippi Heritage Trust, Mississippi Main Street, Greenwood Main Street, American Red Cross, NBCC, former certified local government contact of Mississippi Department of Archives and

History. Husband, C. Aven Whittington, Jr.; two children. Democrat. Committees: Agriculture; Constitution; Corrections; Education; Medicaid; Tourism; Universities and Colleges.

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THOMAS LAMAR (TOMMY) WOODS

District 52:
DeSoto, Marshall

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House 1988 – present. Born December 6, 1933, in Byhalia. Byhalia High School, Mississippi State University. Retired cotton farmer, ginner. Methodist. Sigma Phi Epsilon, Farm Bureau, AOPA, Marshall County Soil and Water Conservation, Northwest Junior College Advisory Board. Wife, former Jan Dickinson; four children. Republican. Committees: Interstate Cooperation (Chmn.); Banking and Financial Services; County Affairs; Management; Public Utilities; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation; Ways and Means.

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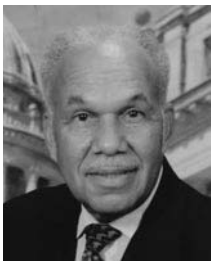

CHARLES YOUNG, SR.

District 82:
Lauderdale

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House 1980 – present. Born August 27, 1931, in Meridian. Tennessee A&I University, University of Denver. Manufacturing. Methodist. Kappa Alpha Psi, National Business League, NAACP, VFW, Mason Elks, Mississippi Action for Progress, MIBA. Former member of the Board of Corrections, R&D Council, and Economic Development Board. Widower; four children. Democrat. Committees: Universities and Colleges (Chmn.); Banking and Financial Services; Congressional Redistricting; Juvenile Justice; Labor; Legislative Reapportionment; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Ways and Means.

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HENRY B. (HANK) ZUBER III

District 113:
Jackson

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House 2000 – present. Born June 11, 1966, in Covington, LA. Ocean Springs High School, Millsaps College, University of Mississippi Law School. Attorney. Roman Catholic. Knights of Columbus, Chamber of Commerce, Young Business Leader's Association, Board of Directors YMCA, National Guard Youth Mentor Board. Republican. Committees: Transportation (V. Chmn.); Apportionment and Elections; Banking and Financial Services; Congressional Redistricting; Gaming; Legislative Reapportionment; Management; Municipalities; Ports, Harbors and Airports.

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CHARLES WILSON CAPPS, JR.

District 28: Bolivar, Sunflower, Washington

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House 1972 – 2005. Born January 1, 1925, in Cleveland. Davidson College, University of Mississippi. Insurance, real estate, farming. Methodist. Mason, Delta Council, Chamber of Commerce, former sheriff of Bolivar County. Widower; three children. Democrat. Served on the following committees: Constitution (Chmn.); Agriculture; Appropriations; Enrolled Bills; Military Affairs; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Tourism.

DAVID L. GREEN

District 96: Adams, Amite, Pike, Wilkinson

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House 1980 – 2005. Born October 14, 1951, in Rosetta. Gloster High, Southwest Mississippi Junior College. Retail merchant. Baptist. Mason, Eastern Star, Shriner, Heroines of Jericho, Voters League, NAACP, former deputy sheriff and city police officer. Widower; one child. Democrat. Served on the following committees: Fees and Salaries of Public Officers (Chmn.); Appropriations; Investigate State Offices; Management; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation; Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

ROBERT J. (BOBBY) MOODY

District 43: Kemper, Noxubee, Winston

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239 North Lamar Street
Jackson 39201

House 1984 – June 2004. Appointed by Governor Barbour to serve as Deputy Director of the Department of Medicaid. Born March 7, 1942, in Louisville. Nanih Waiya High School, East Central Junior College. Farmer, business, Chamber of Commerce, Board of Directors for Bank of Louisville. Married to former Elizabeth Ann Crowson; two children. Served on the following Committees: Public Health and Welfare (Chmn.), Forestry (Chmn.), Medicaid; Conservation and Water Services; Interstate Cooperation; and Ways and Means. James Gale Gregory was elected in 2004 to represent District 43 in the House of Representatives.

RANDY G. (BUBBA) PIERCE

District 105: Forrest, George, Greene, Perry, Wayne

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Leakesville 39451
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House 2000 – 2005. Appointed by Governor Barbour to serve on the 16th District Chancery Court in March 2005. Born September 12, 1964, in Mobile, AL. University of Southern Mississippi, University of Mississippi Law School. Attorney. Baptist. Rotary, Gideons

International, American Institute of CPA's, Mississippi Society of CPA's, Mississippi Bar Association, Farm Bureau, Forestry Association, former Board Attorney for Greene County Board of Supervisors. Wife, former Gayla Smith; two children. Democrat. Served on the following committees: Agriculture, Constitution, Education (Chmn.), Judiciary A, Penitentiary.

BOBBY JOE TAYLOR

District 86:
Clarke, Perry, Wayne

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Waynesboro 39367
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House 1988 – 2005. Elected Mayor of Waynesboro in July 2005. Born December 24, 1943, in Alabama. Jones County Junior College, Commonwealth in Houston, Texas, Mississippi Law Enforcement Academy. Funeral Director. Baptist. Mississippi law enforcement, former county coroner. Four children. Democrat. Served on the following committees: Rules (V. Chmn.); Agriculture; Corrections; Fees and Salaries of Public Officials; Select Committee on Fiscal Stability; Transportation; Ways and Means.

PHILLIP CURTIS WEST

District 94:Adams,
Jefferson, Franklin

124 S. Pearl St.
Natchez 39120

House 1997-2004. Elected mayor of Natchez July 2004. Born November 30, 1946, in Natchez, Mississippi. Sadie V. Thompson High School, Alcorn State University. Baptist. Omega Psi Phi. Wife former Carolyn Mosby; four children, eight grandchildren. Chairman of the Mississippi Legislative Black Caucus; president of the Boys and Girls Club of the Mississippi-Louisiana chapter; chairman 'emeritus' of the Sadie V. Thompson "Era" Reunion. Former Adams County Supervisor 1980-1997. First African-American president of the Adams County Board of Supervisors; chairman of the Mississippi Association of Supervisors Minority Caucus; president of the Natchez High PTA; chairman of the Adams County Democratic Party; little league coach for the T.M. Jennings Baseball League; president of the Natchez Branch of the NAACP; vice president of the Mississippi State NAACP. Member of Rose Hill Missionary Baptist Church, the Mason and Eastern Star Lodges, and the Alcorn State University Alumni Association and Sports Hall of Fame. Served on the following committees: County Affairs (V. Chmn.); Gaming; Local and Private Legislation; Medicaid; University and Colleges; Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks.

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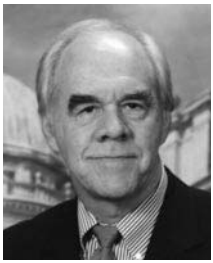

DON RICHARDSON

Clerk of the House

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2004 – present. Born in Ackerman. House 1972 – 1984. Mississippi University, B.S., M.S., Mississippi College, MBA. Former school administrator, former member of Mississippi Medicaid Commission, former real estate broker, GRI, former Executive Director, Capitol Commission, Department of Finance and Administration, Mississippi Road Builders Association.

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House Sergeant at Arms

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2004 – present. Born in Simpson County. Magee High School; B.S. Degree in Criminal Justice, Jackson State University. Member, Magee First Baptist Church. One child.

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Fees and Salaries of Public Officers (15) – Frank Hamilton, Vice-Chairman; Noal Akins, Larry Baker, Clara Burnett, Linda Coleman, Daniel Guice, Leonard Morris, Billy Nicholson, John Read, John Reeves, Jeffrey Smith, Gary Staples, Rufus Straughter

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Interstate Cooperation (7) – Tommy Woods, Chairman; Mary Coleman, Vice-Chairman; Scott Bounds, David Gibbs, Phillip Gunn, Robert Johnson, Tommy Reynolds

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Juvenile Justice (25) – George Flaggs, Chairman; Carmel Wells-Smith, Vice-Chairman; Brian Aldridge, Tracy Arinder, Mark Baker, Earle Banks, Charles Jim Beckett, Leonard Bentz, Kelvin Buck,

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Labor (11) – Harvey Moss, Chairman; Rufus Straughter, Vice-Chairman; Kelvin Buck, Clara Burnett, Virginia Carter Carlton, Erik Fleming, Esther Harrison, Mike Lott, Dannie Reed, Omeria Scott, Charles Young

Local and Private Legislation (7) – Willie Perkins, Chairman; Joey Fillingane, Vice-Chairman; Mark Baker, Frances Fredericks, Robert Johnson, Eric Robinson, Margaret Rogers

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Greg Snowden, Gary Staples, Rufus Straughter, Sara Thomas, May Whittington

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A.L. Bingaman .....1834 - 1836
John Irvin .....1836 - 1837
William Vannerson .....1837 - 1838
J.W. King .....1838 - 1840
Jesse Speight .....1840 - 1841
J.A. Ventress .....1841 - 1842
R.W. Roberts .....1842 - 1844
J.L. Totten .....1844 - 1846
James Whitfield .....1846 - 1848
John J. McRae .....1848 - 1852
William S. Patton .....1852 - 1854
Hiram Cassedy .....1854 - 1856
William S. Barry .....1856 - 1858
James L. Autry .....1858 - 1859
J.A.P. Campbell .....1859 - 1861
William A. Lake .....1861 - 1862
J.P. Scales .....1862 - 1863
Lock E. Houston .....1863 - 1865
S.J. Gholson .....1865 - 1870
F.E. Franklin .....1870 - 1871
H.W. Warren .....1871 - 1872
John R. Lynch .....1872 - 1873
H.M. Street .....1873 - 1874
I.D. Shad .....1874 - 1876
H.M. Street .....1876 - 1878
W.A. Percy .....1878 - 1880
B.F. Johns .....1880 - 1882
W.H.H. Tison .....1882 - 1884
W.M. Inge .....1884 - 1886
J.H. Sharpe .....1886 - 1888
C.B. Mitchel .....1888 - 1890
J.S. Madison .....1890 - 1892
H.M. Street .....1892 - 1894
J.K. Vardaman .....1894 - 1896
J.F. McCool .....1896 - 1900
A.J. Russell .....1900 - 1902
Emmet Thomas ....Jan. 5, 1904 - Jan. 7, 1908
Hugh M. Street .....Jan. 7, 1908 - Jan, 2, 1912
Hillrie M. Quin .....Jan. 2, 1912 - Jan. 4, 1916
Martin S. Connor ...Jan. 4, 1916 - Jan. 8, 1924
Thomas L. Bailey ...Jan. 8, 1924 - Jan. 7, 1936
Horace Stansel .....Jan. 7, 1936 - Apr. 4, 1936
Fielding Wright ...Sept. 14, 1936 - Jan. 2, 1940
Samuel Lumpkin ...Jan. 2, 1940 - Jan. 4, 1944
Walter Sillers .....Jan. 4, 1944 - Sept. 24, 1966
John R. Junkin .....Nov. 9, 1966 - Jan. 6, 1976
C.B. Newman .....Jan. 6, 1976 - Jan. 5, 1988
Tim Ford .....Jan. 5, 1988 – Jan. 5, 2004
William J. McCoy .....Jan. 6, 2004 - present

Timetable for Processing Legislation

90-day Session	125-day Session	
9th day	45th day	Deadline for making requests for general bills and constitutional amendments to be drafted.***
14th day	49th day	Deadline for introduction of bills and constitutional amendments.*
29th day	64th day	Deadline for committees to report bills and constitutional amendments originating in own house.*+
38th day	73rd day	Deadline for original floor action on bills and constitutional amendments originating in own house.*
39th day	74th day	Deadline for reconsideration and passage of bills and constitutional amendments originating in own house.*
42nd day	77th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider bills and constitutional amendments originating in own house.*
51st day	86th day	Deadline for original floor action on appropriation and revenue bills originating in own house.
52nd day	87th day	Deadline for reconsideration and passage of appropriation and revenue bills originating in own house.
53rd day	88th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider appropriation and revenue bills originating in own house.
57th day	92nd day	Deadline for committees to report bills and constitutional amendments originating in other house.*+
65th day	100th day	Deadline for original floor action on bills and constitutional amendments originating in other house.*
66th day	101st day	Deadline for reconsideration and passage of bills and constitutional amendments originating in other house.*
67th day	102nd day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider bills and constitutional amendments originating in other house.*
71st day	106th day	Deadline for original floor action on appropriation and revenue bills originating in other house.
72nd day	107th day	Deadline for reconsideration and passage of appropriation and revenue bills originating in other house.
73rd day	108th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider appropriation and revenue bills originating in other house.
74th day	109th day	Deadline to concur or not concur in amendments from other house to appropriation and revenue bills.

76th day	111th day	Deadline for introduction of local and private bills that are revenue bills.
77th day	112th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider concurrence or nonconcurrence in appropriation and revenue bills.
80th day	115th day	Deadline to concur or not concur in amendments from other house to general bills and constitutional amendments.
82nd day	117th day	Deadline for conference reports on appropriation and revenue bills to be filed.**+
83rd day	118th day	Deadline for introduction of local and private bills that are not revenue bills.
84th day	119th day	Deadline for final adoption of conference reports on appropriation and revenue bills and for conference reports on general bills and constitutional amendments to be filed.**+
85th day	120th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider conference reports on appropriation and revenue bills.
86th day	121st day	Deadline for first consideration of conference reports on general bills and constitutional amendments.
87th day	122nd day	Deadline for filing conference reports on general bills and constitutional amendments that had been recommitted for further conference.+
88th day	123rd day	Deadline for adoption of conference reports on general bills and constitutional amendments after recommittal.
89th day	124th day	Deadline to dispose of motions to reconsider conference reports on general bills and constitutional amendments.
90th day	125th day	Sine die.

Joint Rules

*Appropriation, revenue, and local and private bills, and bills to restore suffrage are excluded from these deadlines. For purposes of the deadlines herein set forth, the term "revenue bills" shall include only those bills whose primary purpose is to increase or decrease taxes or to authorize the issuance of bonds or the borrowing of money. Bills which are primarily for regulatory purposes which have revenue provisions included shall not be considered as revenue bills for deadline purposes. The deletion from a bill of the features which made it a revenue bill shall render the bill a general bill for deadline purposes.

**Conference reports on all bills must be filed with the Secretary/Clerk no later than the time of adjournment on the day prior to being called up and considered. Appropriation bills which actually appropriate money and are recommitted for further conference are excluded from the

requirement that the subsequent conference report be filed and lay on table one (1) day before being considered; however, original action must be taken on all appropriation conference reports by 2:00 p.m. on the 84th/119th day and subsequent reports must be filed no later than 6:00 p.m.

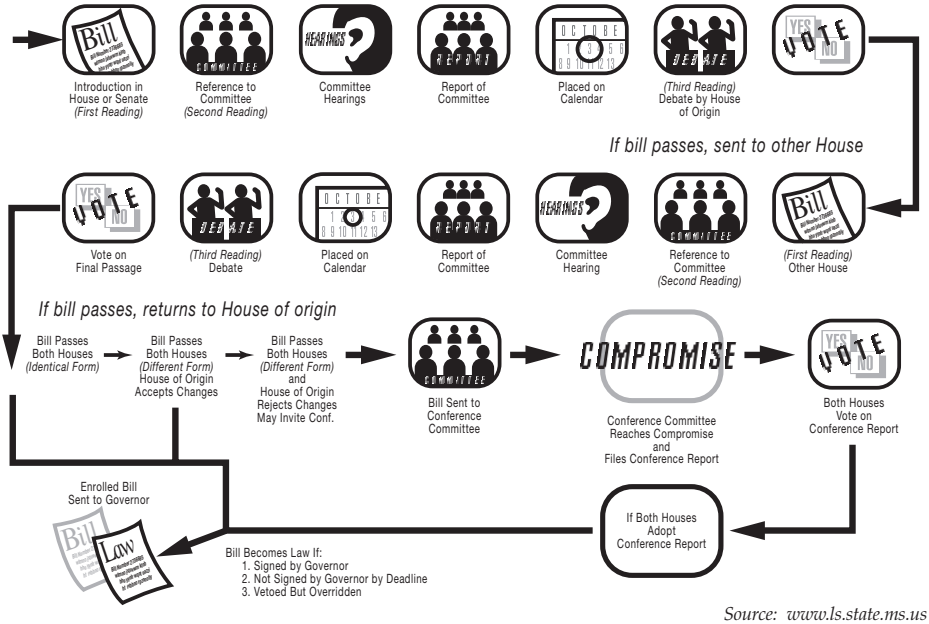
***Requests for general bills and constitutional amendments to be drafted must be made no later than 8:00 p.m. on the 9th/45th day. The Rules Committee of the House or Senate, as the case may be, may authorize any member of its respective house to make requests, for one or more general bills or constitutional amendments to be drafted, after the expiration of the deadline for making such drafting requests but before the deadline for introduction of bills and constitutional amendments, upon a determination by the Rules Committee that such drafting requests are in response to conditions of an emergency nature arising subsequent to the deadline for making requests for general bills and constitutional amendments to be drafted.

+Committee reports and conference reports that are subject to being filed on these deadlines must be filed with the Secretary/Clerk no later than 8:00 p.m. Whenever the word "day" appears in this rule, it shall mean calendar day.

The above schedule shall not be deviated from except by the passage of a concurrent resolution adopted by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the membership of the House and Senate present and voting.

In 1839, the Mississippi Legislature passed one of the first laws in the United States to protect the property rights of married women.

How a Bill Becomes a Law


Introduction in House or Senate (First Reading)
Reference to Committee (Second Reading)
Committee Hearings
Report of Committee
Placed on Calendar
(Third Reading) Debate by House of Origin
If bill passes, sent to other House
Vote on Final Passage
(Third Reading) Debate
Placed on Calendar
Report of Committee
Committee Hearing
Reference to Committee (Second Reading)
(First Reading) Other House
If bill passes, returns to House of origin
Bill Passes Both Houses (Identical Form)
Bill Passes Both Houses (Different Form) House of Origin Accepts Changes
Bill Passes Both Houses (Different Form) and House of Origin Rejects Changes May Invite Conf.
Bill Sent to Conference Committee
COMPROMISE
Conference Committee Reaches Compromise and Files Conference Report
Both Houses Vote on Conference Report
If Both Houses Adopt Conference Report
Enrolled Bill Sent to Governor
Bill Becomes Law If:
1. Signed by Governor
2. Not Signed by Governor by Deadline
3. Vetoed But Overridden

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Drafting and Introduction. A bill must first be drafted in paper form. Legislative research and drafting offices are operated on a year-round basis in both the House and the Senate to assist the members with the necessary research and legal work involved in drafting bills in correct form.

Since the advent of annual sessions, a system of pre-filing has been instituted in both Houses. This means that bills may be written and introduced on an unofficial basis in the interim between sessions. For all practical purposes, the pre-filed bills are treated in the same manner as bills introduced when the Legislature is actually in session. At the time a member signifies that a bill is to be filed, it is placed on the Speaker's/President's desk for referral to Committee and, after referral, is given a number which it will retain throughout the legislative process. When the session convenes, the pre-filed bills are introduced officially into the records. Bills introduced after the session convenes are dropped into the "hopper" at the Clerk's/Secretary's desk. Bills must be typewritten on legal-sized paper, double-spaced, with the title and name of author or authors on the outside and must be introduced in original form.

Referred to Committee. Each bill is referred to one or more of the standing committees in the House or Senate for study and recommendation. In the regular order of business, the bills are read by title and number, and the committee to which it has been referred is announced. All bills are listed on a daily introduction list, entered in the bill docket and committee books, and copies are reproduced. The

bill itself is placed in a jacket and put into the committee box.

Reported by Committee. The committee to which a bill has been referred reports its recommendations to the House or Senate. It may report the bill "Do Pass," "Do Pass As Amended," "Committee Substitute Do Pass," or it may report the bill "Do Not Pass," which has the effect of killing the bill unless a Minority Report is filed within three days by one or more of the members of the committee who were present at the meeting at which the bill was reported.

If a bill has not been reported by a committee after reference, a motion to withdraw the bill may be filed. When a bill has been reported favorably by a committee, it is placed on the calendar for House or Senate action. Separate divisions of the calendar are kept for bills reported by the appropriations, revenue, and local and private committees. Appropriations and Revenue bills have precedence over bills on the General Calendar.

The Legislature operates under a system of deadlines which sets the limits of time in which bills may be introduced, reported from Committee, acted upon originally in each House, amendments considered from the other House, and Conference Reports adopted. The deadlines are for the purpose of assuring an orderly flow of legislative action within the 90-day constitutional limitation of sessions. The first session of each administration has a limitation of 125 days, and the deadlines are adjusted for the additional time.

Consideration by House/Senate. When a bill comes up in its regular order on the calendar, it is usually called up and handled on the chamber floor by the Chairman of the Committee to which it has been referred. The bill is read and debated by the House or Senate, and, at this time, amendments may be proposed and either adopted or rejected. Other possible actions may be taken at this time –- the bill may be recommitted to the committee for further study; it may be laid on the table, subject to call; it may be set for special order; or postponed to another date for action. An amendment to strike all after the enacting clause, if adopted, would kill the bill, or if a motion carried to indefinitely postpone the bill, it would be dead.

The Vote. A quorum must be present for the vote on the final passage of any measure. Bills of a general nature require a majority of those present and voting for passage; appropriation bills require a majority of the elected membership; revenue bills require a three-fifths majority of those present and voting; bills restoring suffrage or bills granting a donation or gratuity to any person require two-thirds of the elected membership. Adoption of Conference Reports or concurrence in Senate or House amendments require the same vote as was required for the original passage of the bill. After passage of a bill, it is subject to reconsideration for one whole legislative day. After the time has passed for reconsideration, any amendments that were adopted are engrossed into the bill, which is then sent to the other House.

House/Senate Action. When a bill reaches the other House, it goes through the same process of referral to Committee, report by Committee, and floor action. If a bill passes the other House without amendment, it is returned to the House of origin,

enrolled, signed by the Speaker and the Lieutenant Governor, and presented to the Governor. If the other House adopts amendments to the bill, the bill and the accompanying amendments are returned to the House of origin, and the bill is placed on the calendar for concurrence or non-concurrence in the amendments of the other House. Should one House concur, the other is notified, the bill is engrossed, enrolled, and presented to the Governor. If one House declines to concur in the amendments of the other, it may request a conference to work out the differences between the two Houses. A conference committee is composed of three members from each House, and if the report of the conference committee is adopted by both Houses, the bill is engrossed, enrolled, and presented to the Governor.

Governor's Action. The Governor must either approve a bill or return it with objections to the House of its origin within five days (except Sundays) or it becomes law without his signature. (If the Legislature adjourns before the five days have expired, the Governor then has 15 days for consideration of the bill.) When a bill has been vetoed, the objections of the Governor are spread at large upon the Journal, it is reconsidered, and, if two-thirds of those present and voting vote in favor of the bill, it is forwarded to the other House. If two-thirds of that House vote in favor of its passage over the Governor's veto, the bill then becomes a law.

The above steps in the passage of a bill are a simplified example of the parliamentary procedure involved in legislation. The process seems very complex, but a knowledge of the rules and procedures and actual experience in observing a legislature in action help in understanding that the rules and procedures are to provide thorough study and debate of measures before they become law.

LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS 1817-2005

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Duties: The PEER committee is charged with conducting performance evaluations, investigations and examinations of expenditures and all relative records of any agency at any time as the committee deems necessary and to submit these reports to the Legislature. Miss. Code Ann. § 5-3-51 (1972). See also page 478.

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Duties: The Committee is charged with preparing the overall State government budget each year. Miss. Code Ann. § 27-103-101 (1972). See also page 479.

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Duties: To provide legislators and other agencies with impartial and accurate information and reports concerning legislation and practices from other states, uniform laws, model bills and textbook information to help prepare legislative measures and bills for introduction into the legislature. Miss. Code Ann. § 39-1-35 (1972).

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Duties: The printing office prints all bills, schedules, reports and other items produced by the Legislature and its offices.

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The New Capitol Building

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The New Capitol, prominently featured on the paperback cover of this publication, is the centerpiece of state government. It was begun in 1901 and completed in 1903 at a cost of $1,093,642 in back taxes owed the State of Mississippi by the Illinois Central Railroad. Designed in the Beaux Arts style by St. Louis architect Theodore Link, the building sits on the grounds of the old state penitentiary between Mississippi and High Streets in downtown Jackson, its golden eagle visible from Interstate 55.

The Senate is housed in the capitol's east wing; the House of Representatives in the west. Flags at full staff indicate when the houses are convened in their respective chambers. The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and Secretary of State each have capitol offices.

The first floor features the Hall of Governors, portraits of Mississippi Governors beginning with Winthrop Sargent, first Territorial Governor (1798-1801). The second floor houses the Old Supreme Court chamber on the Senate side and the Old State Library on the House side. Both are now used as committee rooms. The main floor of the Rotunda is also located here. The Senate and House of Representatives chambers are located on third floor and are viewed from the fourth floor galleries.

The capitol is open to the public Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Tours are free and are conducted at 9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. For appointment for group tours, call the capitol hostess at (601) 359-3114.

For more information about the Mississippi state capitol building, visit the Legislative website at www.ls.state.ms.us.

Judicial Branch

"Ultimately the power of the judiciary lies in the hands of the people."

Justice Edwin Lloyd Pittman
Mississippi Supreme Court (1989-2005)

In Mississippi, the court system on the local level is comprised of the justice courts and municipal courts. One interesting fact about our state is that we do not require justice court judges – those who preside over smaller civil and criminal cases – to be lawyers. Appeals from either of those courts go to county court, if a citizen resides in one of the nineteen (19) Mississippi counties that have a county court. If a county court does not exist in a particular county, appeals go to the next level of our court system, circuit and chancery courts.

Mississippi is one of few states that have such a dual system of courts at this level. Circuit courts handle civil lawsuits, including automobile accidents, tort actions, and criminal cases. Chancery courts handle domestic cases involving divorce, division of marital estate, and custody, as well as youth-related matters. Appeals from both of these courts go directly to the Mississippi Supreme Court where the Supreme Court decides if the case will be retained by the Supreme Court or referred to the Mississippi Court of Appeals.

Mississippi's Court of Appeals is relatively new. In 1994, under the leadership of Chief Justice Armis Hawkins, the Supreme Court and the state's legislature established the new appeals court, which allowed the Supreme Court to become more of a philosophical court. The procedural cases go to the Court of Appeals, while the cases of constitutional impact or broad public policies are addressed by the Supreme Court.

Prior to the establishment of the Court of Appeals, it was not unusual for the Supreme Court to decide 900 cases a year, and have another 1000 cases on its docket unattended. By establishing the appeals court, developing an efficient court administrative system, and adopting a uniform set of court rules, the Mississippi judiciary was modernized and is now a more effective and responsive judicial system.

Our citizenry's most prominent role in the judiciary system is to vote for or against the people running for judge positions. Unless there is a death in office or a resignation before the end of a term in office, elections are held for all of Mississippi's state and county judges. It is by these elections that the citizens police their judicial system. Ultimately the power of the judiciary lies in the hands of the people. Each election provides Mississippians the opportunity to affect change in the courts.

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In Mississippi, the judicial branch of government has three components: the Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals, and the Trial Courts.

Supreme Court

The Supreme Court is the state's court of last resort. It is composed of nine elected justices, three from each of the state's three Supreme Court Districts (See the Supreme Court Districts map on page 163). Their eight-year terms are staggered to provide continuity. The Supreme Court hears appeals from Mississippi's two courts of general jurisdiction: circuit and chancery; in limited circumstances, it may also hear direct appeals from county courts. In addition to appellate jurisdiction, the Supreme Court has the power to issue extraordinary writs. The nine justices may sit in en banc (all members participating) or in three-judge panels.

Reserved to the Supreme Court are death penalty cases, appeals involving utility rates, annexations, bond issues, election contests, and statutes held unconstitutional by a lower court, cases involving attorney discipline and judicial performance, certified questions from a federal court, cases

involving a major question of first impression, fundamental and urgent issues of broad public importance requiring prompt determination, substantial constitutional questions concerning the validity of a statute, ordinance, court rule, or administrative rule or regulation, and issues where there is an inconsistency or conflict in court decisions.

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the Supreme Court District in which election is sought, at least 30 years of age, a practicing attorney, and a citizen of the state for five years. Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. VI, §§ 150 and 250; Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-993 (1972). Qualifying fee is $200.

Terms of Court: A term of the Supreme Court shall be held twice each year in the city of Jackson, to be styled the Supreme Court; and the terms shall commence the second Monday of September and the first Monday of March, and the Court shall be kept open for the discharge of business for at least nine months of every year if the business therein should require. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-3-3 (1972).

Court of Appeals

The Court of Appeals was created in 1994 and began sitting the following year. It is the state's only intermediate court and hears only appeals assigned to it by the Supreme Court.

The Court of Appeals is composed of ten elected judges, two from each of the five Court of Appeals districts. Their terms are for eight years and are staggered to provide continuity. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court appoints the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals to a four-year term. The chief judge of the Court of Appeals appoints the presiding judges to terms of two to four years.

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 30 years of age, a practicing attorney, and a citizen of the State for five years immediately preceding the election. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-4-5 (1972). The qualifying fee is $200.

Terms of Court: The Court of Appeals meets continuously throughout the year and hears arguments every month except July. By law, the Court is located in the City of Jackson as close as convenient to the State Law Library and the Supreme Court. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-4-11 (1972).

Trial Courts

Mississippi's trial court system consists of two general jurisdiction courts (circuit and chancery) and three limited jurisdiction courts (county, justice, and municipal).

CHANCERY COURTS

Twenty chancery courts have jurisdiction over matters involving equity, divorce, alimony, probate, guardianship, and sanity. In those counties with no county court, chancery courts have exclusive jurisdiction over juvenile matters. Their jurisdiction over equity matters involving less than $75,000 is concurrent with county courts. Chancery court judges, often called chancellors, are elected in non-partisan races to four-year terms. Most chancery court cases are non-jury proceedings, although juries may be impaneled in certain circumstances.

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 26 years of age, a practicing attorney, and a citizen of the state for five years. Miss. Const. of 1890, § 154. The qualifying fee is $100.

Terms of Court: Each year, chancellors issue orders establishing the commencement and continuation of terms of court no later than October 1. If no order is issued, then the court term remain unchanged from the previous year. This information is posted at each courthouse and is published by the Secretary of State in the Judiciary Directory and Court Calendar. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-5-3 (1972).

CIRCUIT COURTS

Twenty-two circuit courts have original jurisdiction over all civil and criminal matters not vested exclusively in another court. Circuit judges are elected in non-partisan races to four-year terms. Most circuit court cases are heard by juries, although some circumstances may permit bench trials. Circuit judges have the power to issue extraordinary writs.

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 26 years of age, a practicing attorney, and a citizen of the state for five years. Miss. Const. of 1890, § 154. The qualifying fee is $100.

Terms of Court: Each year, the circuit court judges issue orders establishing the commencement and continuation of terms of court no later than October 1. If no order is issued, then the court term remain unchanged from the previous year. This information is posted at each courthouse and is published annually by the Secretary of State in the Judiciary Directory and Court Calendar. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-7-3 (1972).

COUNTY COURTS

Nineteen counties have established county courts. County court judges are elected in non-partisan races to four-year terms. They have exclusive jurisdiction over matters involving eminent domain, partition of personal property, unlawful entry and detainer, and juvenile matters.

County courts have concurrent jurisdiction with justice courts in all matters, civil and criminal, and concurrent jurisdiction with circuit and chancery courts in all matters of law and equity up to $75,000. They may also adjudicate certain non-capital felony cases transferred by the circuit courts.

Qualifications: A qualified elector at least 26 years old, a practicing attorney for five years, and a citizen of the state for five years preceding the election. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-9-1 et seq. (1972). The qualifying fee is $15.

Terms of Court: County court usually begins the second Monday of each month unless a special order is entered by the court to extend the term, or, in the case of some counties with two courthouses, the law provides special terms of court for each courthouse. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-9-19 (1972).

JUSTICE COURTS

Justice courts have jurisdiction in all civil cases involving amounts of $2,500 or less. They conduct preliminary hearings in felony cases and have concurrent jurisdiction with circuit courts over criminal matters where punishment cannot exceed a fine and sentence of one year in county jail. Justice courts also handle preliminary matters committed inside the county, but outside of city limits. Each county is divided into justice court districts, the number determined by population. Judges are elected in partisan elections to four-year terms.

Qualifications: A qualified elector, a resident of the county two years next preceding election, a holder of a high school or general

equivalency diploma, and completion of a course of training required by law within six months of the beginning of the term of office. Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. VI, § 171 (1975), and Art. XII, § 250. Miss. Code Ann. §§ 9-11-3 and 25-15-297 (1972). The qualifying fee is $10.

Terms of Court: Justice court judges hold regular terms of their courts, at such times as they may appoint, but no more than two and not less than one term in every month. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-11-15 (1972).

DISTRICT ATTORNEYS

There are 22 district attorneys in Mississippi, each assigned to a circuit court district. District attorneys are prosecutors who represent the people of Mississippi in all criminal matters originating in a trial court except in those counties with county prosecuting attorneys.

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the district and a practicing attorney admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Mississippi for two years. Miss. Code Ann. § 25-31-1 (1972). The qualifying fee is $100.

COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS

The county prosecuting attorney represents the state in all felony matters before the county's justice courts and county courts. Additionally, the county prosecuting attorney represents the state in criminal cases appealed from county court to circuit court, can present any matter to the grand jury, and has full responsibility for all misdemeanor youth court proceedings and all other cases not specified to the district attorney. He or she can also be appointed by the district attorney as designee. In counties where no county prosecuting attorney is elected, one may be employed by the county board of supervisors to represent certain cases.

Qualifications: A qualified elector and a regular licensed and practicing attorney. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-23-1 (1972). The qualifying fee is $15.

MUNICIPAL COURTS

Municipal courts have exclusive jurisdiction over city ordinance violations. Under certain conditions, some may also exercise jurisdiction in cases involving juveniles. Municipal court judges are appointed by municipal governing bodies. Miss. Code Ann. § 21-23-1 (1972).

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the county in which the municipality is located and an attorney at law. Miss. Code Ann. § 21-23-3 (1972).

Terms of Court: Municipal judges may hold court every day except Sundays and legal holidays if the business of the municipality requires. Miss. Code Ann. § 21-23-7 (1972).

In 1983, Judge Lenore Prather became Mississippi's first woman Supreme Court Justice, and in 1998 she became the first woman to be named Chief Justice.

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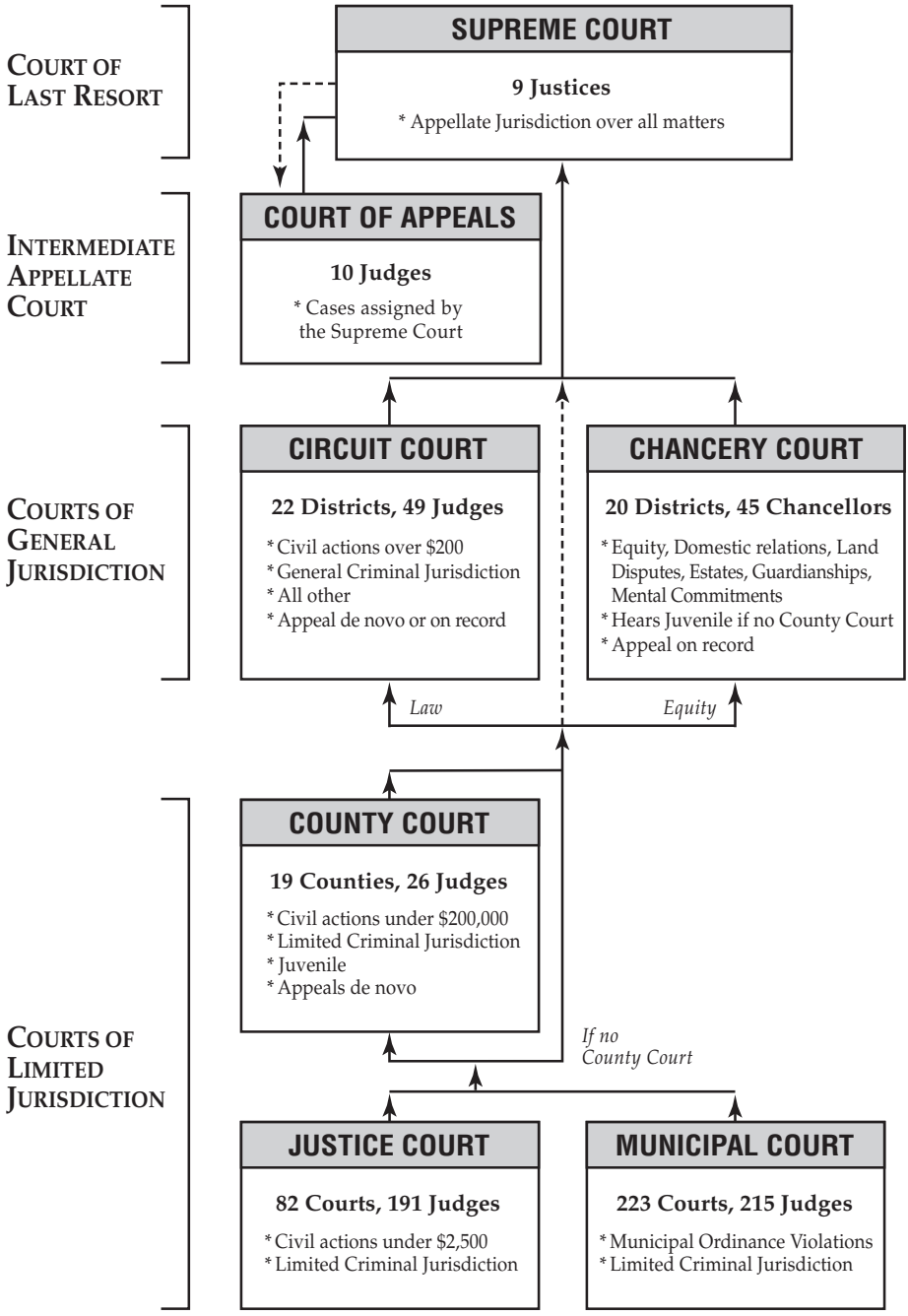

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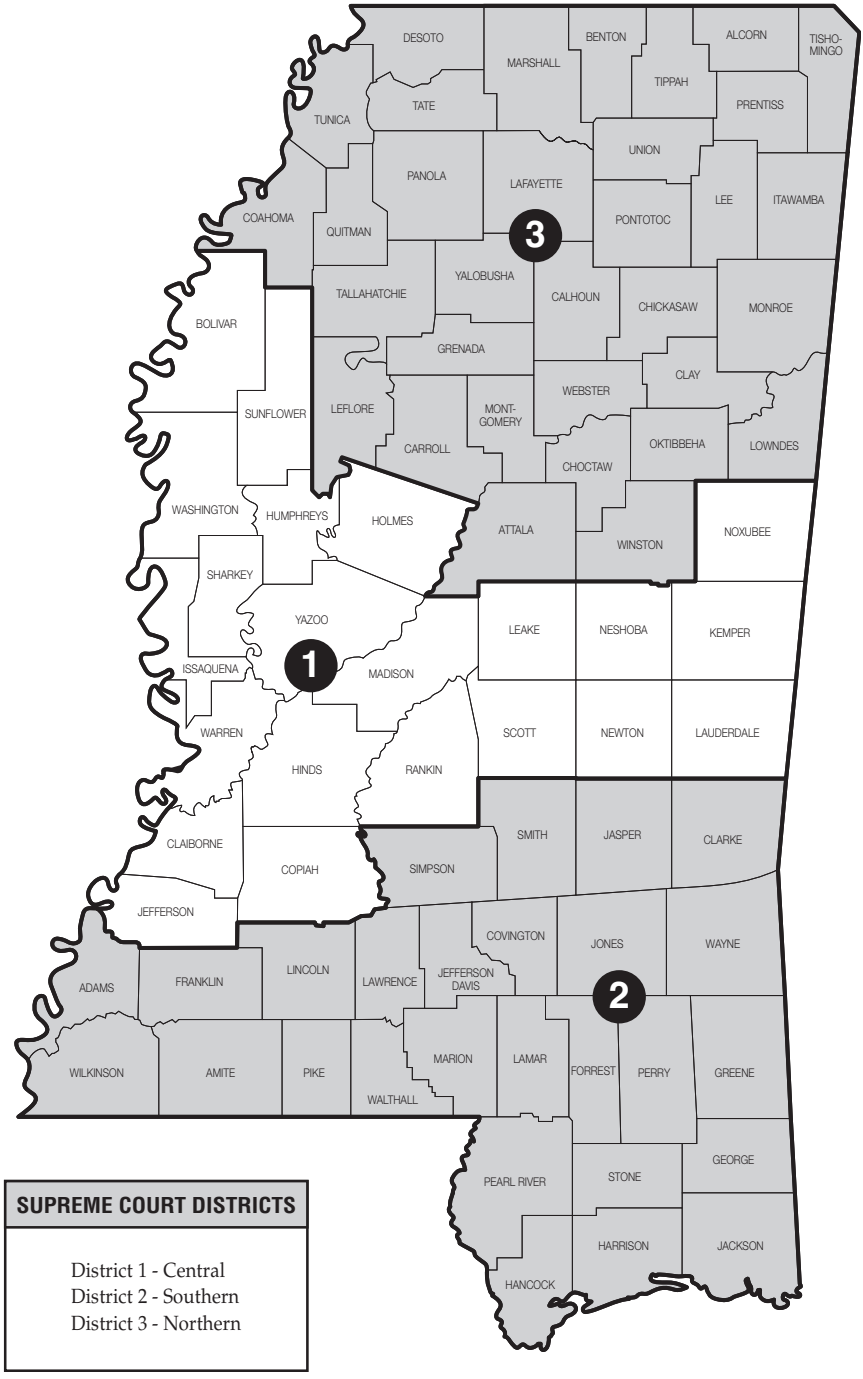

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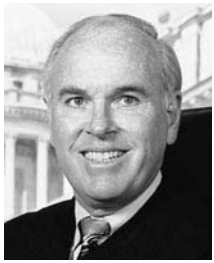


Chief Justice

JAMES W. SMITH, JR.

District 1 (Central), Place 3
Term expires January 2009

Justice James W. Smith, Jr. was elected to the Mississippi Supreme Court in 1993 and named Chief Justice in 2004. Justice Smith was born in Louisville October 28, 1943. He grew up in Pelahatchie and was graduated from Pelahatchie High School in 1961. He attended Hinds Junior (Community) College and the University of Southern Mississippi where he received the Bachelor of Science degree in history and political science in 1965. In 1972, Justice Smith was awarded the Juris Doctorate from Jackson School of Law, now Mississippi College School of Law, where he was a member of the honorary law fraternity Sigma Delta Kappa. In that same year, he was admitted to the practice of law in Mississippi. He earned a master's degree in education administration from Mississippi College in 1973.

While serving as principal at Pearl Junior High School, Justice Smith was awarded the 1971 "Outstanding Young Educator of the Year Award" from the Pearl Jaycees. Beginning in 1973 and continuing until 1980, he was city prosecuting attorney for the City of Pearl and was also Rankin County prosecuting attorney in 1976. He was district attorney for the 20th Circuit Court District (Rankin and Madison) and was elected county court judge for Rankin County in 1982. Justice Smith is a member of the American Legion and serves on the Board of Directors of the Jackson Downtown Rotary Club. He received the 1991 Outstanding Positive Role Model for Today's Youth Award and the 1992 Child Forever Award from Mississippi Voices of Children and Youth for service to Mississippi children. He is the recipient of the 1995 *You've Made a Difference* Award for service to youth and the 1996 Hinds Community College Alumnus of the Year Award. He is also a Fellow of the Mississippi Bar and is the Supreme Court's representative on the Mississippi Bar Foundation's Board of Governors and the Mississippi Bar IOLTA Board. Justice Smith is a tree farmer and an avid outdoorsman and conservationist.

Justice Smith resides in the Andrew Chapel Community in Rankin County.

Presiding Justice

WILLIAM L. WALLER, JR.

District 1 (Central), Place 1
Term expires January 2014

Presiding Justice William L. (Bill) Waller, Jr., a sixth generation Mississippian, was born on February 9, 1952, in Jackson. He is the eldest son of former Governor Bill Waller, Sr. and Carroll Overton Waller. After graduation from Murrah High School in 1970, he attended Mississippi State University and Delta State University and graduated from Mississippi State in 1974 with a degree in general business with emphases in finance, tax, and insurance. He received his Juris Doctor from the University of Mississippi Law School in 1977.

From 1977 until his Supreme Court investiture in January 1998, Justice Waller maintained a general law practice with the law firm of Waller and Waller. He served as Chairman of the Lawyer Referral Service for the Mississippi State Bar from 1987 to 1989, a panelist for the Mississippi Pro Bono Service, a board member of the Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association from 1979 to 1982, and a Barrister of the Charles Clark American Inn of Court from 1989 to 1991. In January 1995, he was appointed municipal judge for the city of Jackson and served until his resignation in July 1996. Justice Waller is a member of the Christian Legal Society and the Hinds County, Mississippi, and American Bar Associations. He serves on the Board of Trustees for the Mississippi Bar Foundation.

After his first election to the Supreme Court in 1996, Justice Waller was re-elected in 2004. Justice Waller assumed the position of Presiding Justice in January 2004. He served as Chairman of the Mississippi Public Defender Task Force in 2000 and 2004. Justice Waller was principal architect of what became legislation that reformed the post-conviction relief process for death penalty cases and created the Office of Capital Post-Conviction Counsel and the Office of Indigent Appeals. He serves on many committees of the Supreme Court, including the Rules Committee, for which he has served as Chairman since 2001. The Rules Committee received the 2003 Chief Justice Award for dedicated service in improving the rules governing the judiciary and the legal profession. Justice Waller was the recipient of the Judicial Innovation Award for 2003 - 2004 by the Hinds County Bar and the Jackson Young Lawyers Associations.

Justice Waller was named a Distinguished Military Graduate of the Army ROTC Department at Mississippi State University in 1974. Presently a member of the Inactive Ready Reserve, he previously served 29 years in the Mississippi Army National Guard, attaining the rank of Brigadier General while serving as Commander, 66th Troop Command, Jackson, Mississippi. He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College and of the U.S. Army War College.

Justice Waller is a member of First Baptist Church in Jackson where he is a Sunday School secretary and has served as chairman of the deacons. He is married to the former Charlotte Brawner of Biggersville, who is a past president of the statewide judges' spouses' association, "JEMS." They have three children, William, Jeannie, and Clayton. Both Justice Waller and his son William are Eagle Scouts. Justice Waller presently serves as a Patrol Advisor for Troop 8, Boy Scouts of America, where his son Clayton is a Star Scout.

Presiding Justice

KAY B. COBB

District 3 (Northern), Place 1
Term expires January 2009

Presiding Justice Kay Beevers Cobbs was appointed by Governor Kirk Fordice to the Mississippi Supreme Court on April 1, 1999, to fill the unexpired term of Justice Jim Roberts. Prior to her appointment to the bench, Justice Cobb served Mississippi as a State Senator, special assistant Attorney General, attorney for the Bureau of Narcotics, and director of

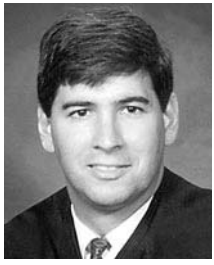
the Mississippi Prosecutors Association. In 2000, she was elected to the Supreme Court for an eight-year term beginning January 2001. Effective April 1, 2004, she assumed the position of Presiding Justice.

A native Mississippian, Justice Cobb was born in Quitman County February 28, 1942, and moved soon thereafter to Cleveland. For the past 29 years, she has lived in Oxford.

Justice Cobb graduated from Cleveland High School as valedictorian of her class. She graduated in 1963 from the Mississippi University for Women where she was class president and a member of the Hall of Fame. Justice Cobb taught school prior to the birth of her children.

In 1975, she enrolled in the University of Mississippi School of Law and graduated 13th in her class in January 1978. Justice Cobb practiced law in Oxford for several years before taking the post of director of the Mississippi prosecutors programs at the University of Mississippi School of Law. In 1984 she was appointed attorney for the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics, and in 1988 she joined the staff of the Attorney General. In 1992, she was elected to the Mississippi Senate, representing Calhoun, Lafayette, and Yalobusha Counties. In 1996, she returned to private law practice in Oxford where she remained until her appointment to the Supreme Court in 1999.

Justice Cobb has been president of the Mississippi University for Women Alumnae Board and chairman of the Inter-Alumni Council for the State Institutions of Higher Learning. She was awarded the Mississippi State University Outstanding Mississippi Woman award in 1992 and the Mississippi University for Women Medal of Excellence in 1990. She has served on the President's Commission on United States Model State Drug Laws and the National Alliance for Model State Drug Laws. Justice Cobb is a member of First Baptist Church in Oxford where she is a Sunday School teacher.



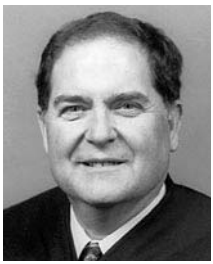
OLIVER E. DIAZ, JR.

Associate Justice
District 2 (Southern),
Place 2
Term expires January 2009

Justice Oliver E. Diaz, Jr. was born December 16, 1959. He was graduated from Notre Dame High School in 1977 and received the Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of South Alabama in 1982. After graduation from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 1985, he practiced law on the Gulf Coast.

Justice Diaz served in the Mississippi House of Representatives from District 116 representing Biloxi and D'Iberville for seven years from 1988 to 1994. During his tenure in the Legislature, he was a subcommittee chairman for the Insurance Committee and the Judiciary Committee. He was a member of the Ways and Means Committee and was Secretary for the Constitution Committee.

He was city attorney for the City of D'Iberville for four years. Justice Diaz was elected to the Court of Appeals in November 1994 and served in that position until March 2000, at which time he was appointed to the Supreme Court by Governor Ronnie Musgrove to fill the unexpired term of Justice Michael D. Sullivan. In November 2000, he was elected to the Supreme Court for an eight-year term beginning January 2001. Justice Diaz is the father of two children.



CHARLES D. EASLEY, JR.

Associate Justice
District 3 (Northern),
Place 2
Term expires January 2009

Justice Charles D. Easley, Jr. was born in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, April 8, 1949. He is the son of Charles D. Easley, Sr., Lieutenant Colonel, United States Air Force (Retired) and Doris B. Easley, a retired teacher of special education, of Houlka.

Justice Easley was graduated from the University of Mississippi with the Bachelor of Business Administration degree in 1972, from Mississippi State University with a Master's degree in Business Administration in 1976, from the University of Mississippi Law School in 1979 with the Juris Doctorate degree, and from the National District Attorneys College – Career Prosecutor's Course, Houston, Texas in 1980.

Justice Easley was Assistant District Attorney for the Third Judicial Court District from 1980 – 1983, and he was judge and prosecutor for the town of Caledonia. From 1983 – 2000, he practiced law in Columbus. He is a member of the Lowndes County Bar Association, the Mississippi Municipal Judges' Association, the Mississippi Trial Lawyers of America, the American Bar Association, and the National Rifle Association.

Justice Easley is married to Pamela Robinson Easley; they have three children: Christopher, Lindsey, and Ali Mara. Justice and Mrs. Easley live in Caledonia and are members of the Kolola Springs Baptist Church.

GEORGE C. CARLSON, JR.

Associate Justice
District 3 (Northern),
Place 3
Term expires January 2013

Justice George Clarence Carlson, Jr. of Batesville, was appointed to the Supreme Court by Gov. Ronnie Musgrove on October 29, 2001, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Justice Michael P. Mills. Justice Carlson took office November 1, 2001.

From June, 1972, through December 31, 1982, Justice Carlson was in the private practice of law in Panola County. In November, 1982, he was elected Circuit Judge for the Seventeenth Judicial District of Mississippi, comprised of DeSoto, Panola, Tallahatchie, Tate, and Yalobusha counties, and took office on January 1, 1983. He was reelected as Circuit Judge in 1989, 1990, 1994, and 1998.

Justice Carlson has served as a member on the Governor's Criminal Justice Task Force, 1991, and as a member of the Commission on the Courts in The 21st Century, 1992-1993. He served as a member of the Professionalism Committee of the Mississippi Bar, 1998-1999, and as a member of the Law School Professionalism Program Task Force, 1998-1999. He is a member of the American Bar Association, the American Judges Association, and the Mississippi Bar. Also, Justice Carlson is a member and past president of the Panola County Bar Association, and a member and past president of the William C. Keady American Inns of Court. He was invited and named in February, 1995, as a Fellow of the Mississippi Bar Foundation.

Justice Carlson served as vice-chair of the Mississippi Circuit Judges Conference in 1998-1999, and as chair of the Conference in 1999-2000. Since arriving at the Supreme Court, he has continuously served on the Court's Rules Committee. Justice Carlson is also a recipient of the 2003 Chief Justice Award. Justice Carlson is also currently serving on the Criminal Code Reform Subcommittee of the Mississippi Judicial Advisory Study Committee.

The son of the late Christine Wooley Carlson and the late Dr. George C. Carlson, Justice Carlson was born on May 23, 1946, in Greenwood, Leflore County, Mississippi. Shortly after his birth, he moved with his family from Moorhead, in Sunflower County, to Batesville. He is a 1964 graduate of South Panola High School in Batesville, a 1969 graduate of Mississippi State University (Bachelor of Science Degree), and a 1972 graduate of the University of Mississippi (Law Degree). Justice Carlson also graduated from the National Judicial College, University of Nevada, Reno, in October, 1982. Justice Carlson is married to the former Jane Ivy Russel of Cleveland. The Carlsons have two adult children, Russel Carlson and Meredith Carlson. Justice Carlson is an elder in the Batesville Presbyterian Church.

JAMES E. GRAVES, JR.

Associate Justice
District 1 (Central),
Place 2
Term expires January 2013

Justice James E. Graves, Jr., a native of Clinton, was appointed to the Mississippi Supreme Court by Governor Ronnie Musgrove on October 29, 2001. His term began November 1, 2001.

Justice Graves previously served as a Circuit Judge for 10 years. He was appointed by Gov. Ray Mabus in February 1991 to serve as Circuit Court Judge of the 7th Circuit District, which at the time included Hinds and Yazoo Counties. Yazoo County has since been removed from the district. He was elected to the position in a special election in September 1991, and was reelected without opposition in 1994 and 1998.

He attended Millsaps College, where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology, and Syracuse University College of Law, where he received a Juris Doctorate. Justice Graves also holds a Master of Public Administration degree from the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

He has worked as a staff attorney at Central Mississippi Legal Services, a special assistant Attorney General for the state Attorney General's Office, chief legal counsel to the Mississippi Department of Human Services, and director of the Division of Child Support Enforcement of the Mississippi Department of Human

Services. Graves was also engaged in the private practice of law for more than three years.

His teaching experience includes serving as an instructor at Harvard Law School in Cambridge, MA, where he taught trial advocacy in 1998, 1999, and 2000. Justice Graves has also served as an adjunct professor at Jackson State University, where he taught both media law and civil rights law.

Justice Graves has received many honors for his professional and community activities. He was named the Jackson Public Schools Parent of the Year for 2000-2001 for his work with the mock trial teams in the district. He was the recipient of the Hinds County Bar Association Innovation Award in 2000, the National Bar Association's Distinguished Jurist Award in 1996, and the Millsaps College Black Students Association Alumnus of the Year award in 1993.

Justice Graves and his wife, Dr. Betty Ramsey Graves, have three sons, Christopher, James, and Jeffrey.

JESS H. DICKINSON

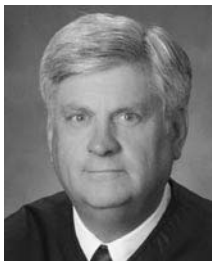
Associate Justice
District 2 (Southern),
Place 1
Term expires January 2012

Justice Jess H. Dickinson was born in Charleston in 1947. After graduation from Tallahatchie High School in 1965, he attended Mississippi State University and received a bachelor's degree in 1978. He received his Juris Doctor *cum laude* in 1982 from the University of Mississippi School of Law, where he served on the editorial board of the *Mississippi Law Journal*.

After law school, Justice Dickinson practiced law in Jackson for a year, and then practiced in Gulfport for 20 years. He has been an active member of the Mississippi Bar, serving two terms on the Ethics committee and two terms on the Professionalism Committee (one year as chairman). By special appointment of the Mississippi Supreme Court, he served for a year as a Circuit Court Judge for Forrest and Perry Counties. His efforts in 2003 to improve the administration of justice earned him the 2004 Chief Justice Award. Justice Dickinson is a frequent speaker at seminars and CLE events. Justice Dickinson began his eight year term on the Supreme Court in January 2004. He serves on the Rules Committee of the Court.

Justice Dickinson has served as an adjunct professor of commercial law at William Carey College, and an adjunct professor at the Mississippi College School of Law.

Justice Dickinson and the former Janet Holiman have been married for 28 years, and they have four sons: Michael, Jacob, Samuel, and Benjamin and one grandchild, Jacob II. The Dickinsons have been members of Grace Memorial Baptist Church in Gulfport for 22 years.



MICHAEL K. RANDOLPH

Associate Justice
District 2 (Southern), Place 3
Term expires January 2013

Justice Michael K. Randolph was appointed to the Mississippi Supreme Court by Gov. Haley Barbour on April 23, 2004. Justice Randolph was appointed to serve the unexpired term of former Chief Justice Edwin L. Pittman.

Justice Randolph was born in 1946 in Florida. He was decorated for heroism in Vietnam and served as an air traffic controller with the U.S. Army 1st Infantry Division, known as the Big Red One. He was honorably discharged in 1967. During law school he joined the U.S. Naval Reserve. and attended the Naval Justice School in Newport, Rhode Island. He served as an attorney with the Judge Advocate General Corps before being honorably discharged in 1975.

He graduated from Rollins College in Winter Park, Florida, with a B.S. degree in business administration in 1972. He earned his Juris Doctorate from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 1974, where he served as president of the Law School Student Body.

Justice Randolph has practiced law since 1975, first in Biloxi with the firm of Ross, King and Randolph, then with the firm of Bryan, Nelson, Allen, and Schroder in Pascagoula, Biloxi, and Gulfport. He opened the Hattiesburg office of Bryan, Nelson, Allen and Schroder in 1976. He practiced law in Hattiesburg with Bryan Nelson Randolph, P.A. until his appointment to the Supreme Court. Justice Randolph is listed in the Martindale-Hubbell Bar Register of Pre-Eminent Lawyers, A.M. Best's Directory of Recommended Insurance Attorneys and The Insurance Bar.

Justice Randolph was appointed by President Ronald Reagan to serve on the National Coal Council. He served on the boards of directors of William Carey College, the Boys and Girls Club of Hattiesburg and the Hattiesburg Girls Shelter. He is a member of the Hattiesburg Area Development Partnership and the advisory board of the Hattiesburg Salvation Army. He is a former president of the Hattiesburg Civic Association.

Randolph has served as president of the South Central Mississippi Bar Association in 1986 and served on the Mississippi Bar Committee on Continuing Legal Education 1975-76. He is a member of the American Bar Association, the Bar Association of the Fifth Federal Circuit, and the South Central Mississippi Bar Association.

Justice Randolph is a member of Temple Baptist Church in Hattiesburg, where he serves as a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He is married to Kathy Webb Randolph, formerly of Ocean Springs. He has three children, Christopher Randolph, Joshua Randolph, and Abigail Randolph Tyner, and one grandchild, Hayden Elizabeth Tyner.

Also Served

Chief Justice

EDWIN LLOYD PITTMAN

District 2 (Southern), Place 3
Retired March 2004

Chief Justice Edwin Lloyd Pittman was born in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, on January 2, 1935. He was educated in the Hattiesburg Public Schools. He received a bachelor's degree in history and government from the University of Southern Mississippi in 1957 and a Juris Doctorate degree from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 1960.

Chief Justice Pittman practiced law for 16 years in Hattiesburg. He served in the Mississippi State Senate from 1964 to 1972; as State Treasurer from 1976 to 1980; as Secretary of State from 1980 to 1984; and as Attorney General from 1984 to 1988. He practiced law in Hattiesburg and Jackson. He was originally elected to the State Supreme Court for a term beginning January, 1989. He was reelected to the Supreme Court for a term beginning January, 1997. He served as Presiding Justice from January 1998 until January 2001, when he became Chief Justice.

He retired from the Mississippi National Guard as Brigadier General with 30 years of service. He served as a member of the National Association of Attorneys General Executive Committee from 1985 to 1987 and Chairman of the Southern Conference of Attorneys General in 1987. In addition, he was the 1989 recipient of the HUB Award presented by the University of Southern Mississippi for outstanding contributions to the community and dedication to public service. He is a charter member of the University of Southern Mississippi Alumni Hall of Fame and a recipient of the Humanized Education Award for 1982-83, presented by the Mississippi Association of Educators. He serves as a member of the board of William Carey College in Hattiesburg. He is also a member of the Mississippi Bar Association, the American Bar Association, and the Mississippi Bar Foundation. He is an active member of the Pine Lake Baptist Church located at the Reservoir in Rankin County where he has served as a Sunday school teacher, deacon, and chairman of deacons.

Chief Justice Pittman retired March 2004. He is the father of three adult children: Mrs. John Wakeland (Melanie), Edwin L. Lloyd Pittman, III, and Jennifer Pittman.

A 1914 amendment to the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 made the state Supreme Court an elected office.

CHARLES MCRAE

District 2 (Southern), Position 1
Term expired January 2004

Justice Chuck McRae is the son of the late Ophra Whitmer and Marion Edward McRae. He grew up in Pascagoula, but graduated from high school in Pittsburgh, PA. He graduated from Marietta College, Marietta, OH, in 1962. Upon graduation, he taught and coached in high schools in Moss Point and Panama City, FL. Justice McRae graduated *cum laude* in 1970 from Jackson School of Law, now the Mississippi College School of Law in Jackson. He returned to Pascagoula to practice law and later established a firm with Margaret Ellis. He sat on both the Circuit and Chancery Court benches by special appointment in Jackson, Forrest, Lamar and Lincoln Counties. Prior to his election to the Mississippi Supreme Court in November 1990, he served as attorney for the Jackson County School Board and the Pascagoula Police Association.

Justice McRae is a lifetime member of the Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association, having served as both governor and president of the organization. He remains a sustaining member. He is a former bar commissioner of the Mississippi Bar Association. Justice McRae is a member of the Civil Justice Foundation, Roscoe Pound Foundation, M Club, Marietta College Athletic Founders Board, American Judicature Society, Fifth and Eleventh Circuit Bar Associations, Federal Bar Association, Magnolia Bar Association, American Bar Association, and First United Methodist Church in Pascagoula.

Justice McRae has one daughter, Rebecca McRae Johnson, grandson, Jaqe and granddaughter, MacKenzie.

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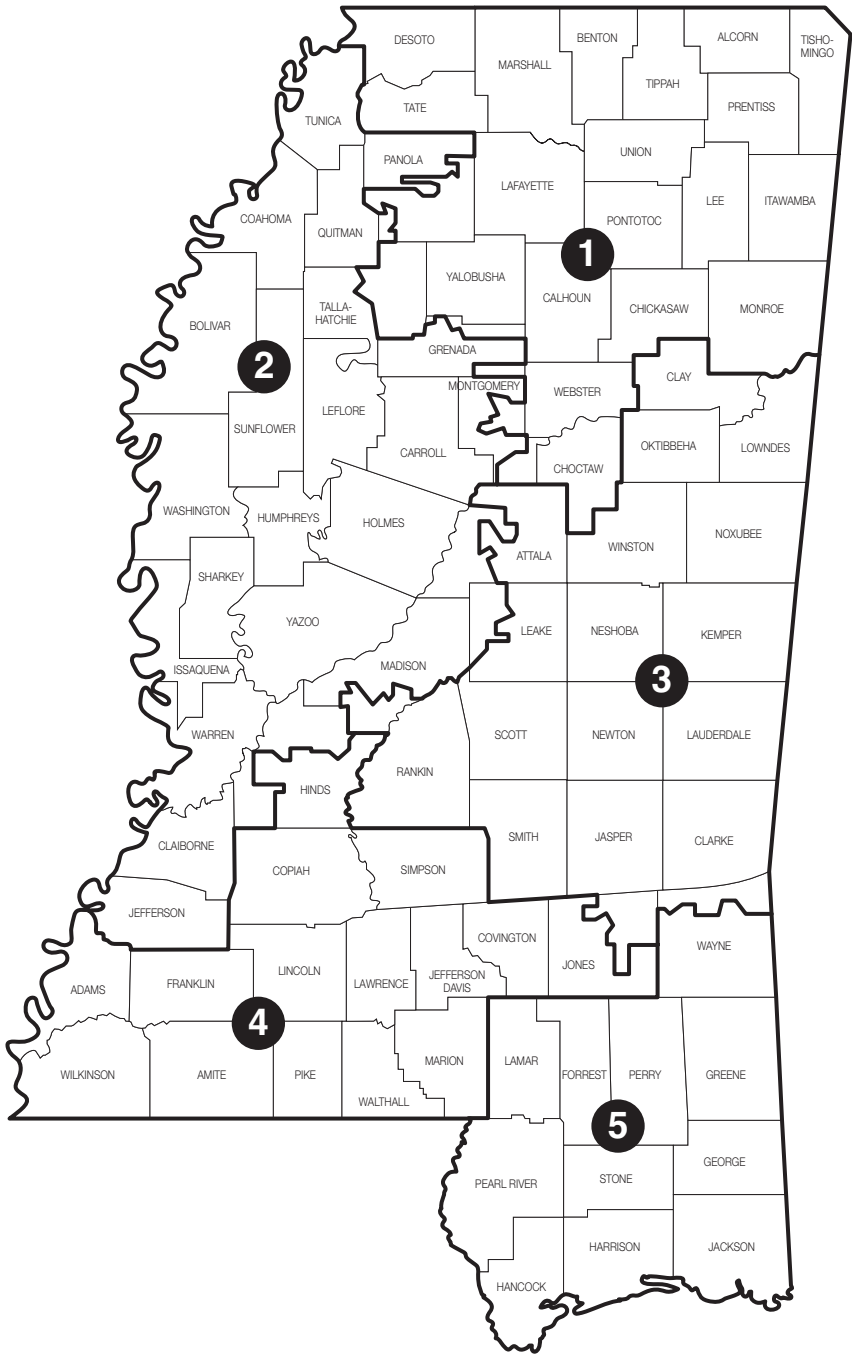

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Chief Judge

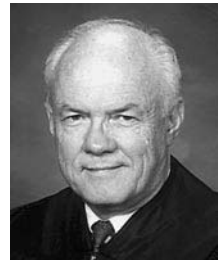
LESLIE D. KING

Court of Appeals
District 2,
Place 2
Term expires January 2009

Judge Leslie D. King was born January 17, 1949, in Greenville, where he began practicing law in 1973. He graduated from the University of Mississippi in 1970 and from Texas Southern University School of Law in 1973. He has served on the Court of Appeals since his election in 1994 and was appointed Chief Judge in January 2004.

Prior to his election to the Court of Appeals in 1994, Judge King served in the Mississippi House of Representatives continuously beginning in 1980. During his tenure, he was named vice-chairman of the Ways and Means Committee (1988-1991) and vice-chairman of the Conservation and Water Resources Committee. Other committee memberships Judge King held were Judiciary, Insurance, Environmental Protection Council, Housing Finance Oversight, and Universities and Colleges. He was also chairman of the Mississippi Black Legislative Caucus in 1988.

Judge King was Youth Court Counselor for Washington County and Public Defender, Youth Court Prosecutor, and Municipal Court Judge for the Town of Metcalfe. Judge King and his wife, the former Patricia Smith of Greenville, have two daughters. They attend the St. Matthew African Methodist Episcopal Church in Greenville.



Presiding Judge

BILLY G. BRIDGES

Court of Appeals
District 3,
Place 1
Term expires January 2009

Judge Billy G. Bridges of Brandon was born May 5, 1934. He graduated from Pearl High School in 1952. He attended Hinds Junior (Community) College before going to the University of Mississippi where he earned a bachelor's degree in 1958. Judge Bridges pursued his study of law at the University of Mississippi School of Law and was awarded the LLB degree in 1961 and the Juris Doctorate degree in 1968. He practiced law in Rankin County for 33 years.

Judge Bridges has served in a wide range of legal positions including Board Attorney for the Town of Florence, the Town of Pelahatchie, the Rankin Medical Center, and the Rankin County Schools. He was elected as Rankin County Prosecuting Attorney, District Attorney for the 20th Circuit District (Rankin and Madison Counties), and Chancellor for the 20th Chancery Court District. Judge Bridges served as Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals from January 31, 1997 until February 17, 1999. He has served as presiding judge for the Court since May 1, 2004.

Judge Bridges is a member of Who's Who of American Judges, Conference of Mississippi Trial Judges, American College of Trial Judges, Mississippi Bar Foundation, Mississippi Municipal Attorneys Association, American Society of Hospital Board Associations, Mississippi

Hospital Board Attorneys, and the Mississippi Continuing Judicial Education Committee.

Judge Bridges is married and has four children. He is a member of Crossgates Baptist Church in Brandon and is affiliated with Gideons International.

Presiding Judge

L. JOSEPH LEE

Court of Appeals
District 4,
Place 2
Term expires January 2011

Judge Larry Joseph (Joe) Lee was born August 22, 1945. After graduating from Lumberton High School, he attended the University of Southern Mississippi and earned a bachelor's degree from William Carey College. He attended the Jackson School of Law, now Mississippi College School of Law, and was inducted in to Sigma Delta Kappa, an honorary legal fraternity, while working as a high school teacher and principal. Judge Lee entered into private practice after graduating from Jackson School of Law in 1973. He was owner and operator of Baldwin-Lee Funeral Homes in Jackson for 20 years, and is currently adjunct professor at William Carey College. He is a member of the Mississippi, Texas, and American Bar Associations and the Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association. He is also a member of the Mississippi Funeral Directors Association. Judge Lee was elected to the Court of Appeals in November 1998 and reelected without opposition in 2002. He has served the Court as presiding judge since his appointment in 2004. Judge Lee is married to the former Renee Simon, who serves as the current president of the statewide judge's spouses' organization (JEMS). He has two sons, Joey and Jud, a stepdaughter, Elaina, and a grandson, Garrett.

LESLIE H. SOUTHWICK

Court of Appeals
District 4,
Place 1
Term expires January 2007

Judge Leslie H. Southwick was born February 10, 1950. He is a Texas native who has lived in Mississippi since 1976. Judge Southwick is one of the original members of the Court of Appeals, having served since its inception in 1994. He is a lieutenant colonel in the 155th Separate Armored Brigade and serves as an attorney in the office of the Staff Judge Advocate. He took a leave of absence from the Court in August 2004 to begin active duty with the Mississippi Army National Guard as a part of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Judge Southwick graduated *cum laude* with the Bachelor of Arts degree from Rice University in 1972. He earned the Juris Doctorate degree from the University of Texas in 1975. Following law school graduation, Judge Southwick was a clerk for the presiding judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals and for Judge Charles Clark of the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals. He was an associate in the Jackson law firm of Brunini, Grantham, Grower and Hewes from 1977 to 1983, and a partner from 1983 to 1989. From 1985-86, he was a member of the Governor's Constitution Study Commission. Judge Southwick became a Deputy Assistant Attorney General for the U.S. Department of Justice (Civil Division)

in 1989. He supervised 125 lawyers of the Federal Programs Branch, which defends suits brought against the United States. He also supervised the Office of Consumer Litigation, a 25 lawyer division charged with civil and criminal enforcement of federal consumer laws. He has been an adjunct professor of law at the Mississippi College School of Law and is a member of the Charles Clark Chapter, American Inns of Court. Judge Southwick has written several legal and historical articles which have been published in the *Mississippi Law Journal*, the *Mississippi College Law Review*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and various historical journals. He is the author of *Presidential Also-Rans and Running Mates* which won an American Library Association "Best Reference Work of the Year" award in 1985. A second edition was published in 1997.

Judge Southwick is married to the former Sharon Polasek, and they have two children, Philip and Cathy. The Southwicks are members of St. Richards's Catholic Church in Jackson.

TYREE IRVING

Court of Appeals
District 2,
Place 1
Term expires January 2011

Judge Tyree Irving was born July 12, 1946, in Greenwood. He grew up on a plantation in southern Leflore County where he worked in the fields. He was graduated first in his class from Amanda Elzy High School.

In 1968, he graduated from Jackson State College and taught for four years in the public schools of the Mississippi Delta before going to law school. In 1974, he graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Law. He became the first African-American attorney to clerk for the Mississippi Supreme Court when he was hired as a law clerk to the late Chief Justice Robert G. Gillespie in 1975.

In 1976, Irving served as an Earl Warren Fellow intern with the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund in New York City. In 1978, he became the first African-American since Reconstruction to serve as an Assistant United States Attorney in Mississippi when he was hired as an assistant for the Northern District of Mississippi.

In 1988, he became the first African-American attorney to serve as Board Attorney for a Mississippi county when he was hired by the Humphreys County Board of Supervisors.

Prior to being elected to the Mississippi Court of Appeals, Judge Irving was in private practice in Greenwood. Additionally, he was attorney for the City of Mound Bayou, the Mound Bayou School District, and the Town of Winstonville.

He is past president and treasurer of the Magnolia Bar Association. He is a member of the Mississippi, Magnolia, and Leflore County Bar Associations; the NAACP; and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. He is a former member of the American Trial Lawyers Association and the Council of School Board Attorneys.

Judge Irving is married to the former Ethola Garrett Collins and they have six children. He is a member of Wesley United Methodist Church in Greenwood.

WILLIAM H. MYERS

Court of Appeals
District 5,
Place 1
Term expires January 2011

Judge Myers was born August 22, 1941, and graduated from Murrah High School in Jackson in 1960. He graduated from Mississippi State University and received the Juris Doctorate degree from the University of Mississippi School of Law. From 1964 to 1966 he served in the United States Army and received the Army Commendation Medal. He was honorably discharged in 1966 as a First Lieutenant.

Judge Myers was appointed to the Court of Appeals by Governor Ronnie Musgrove on June 5, 2000 to replace Judge Oliver Diaz who was appointed to the Supreme Court. Myers was elected to the Court in November 2002. He practiced law in Pascagoula for 23 years in association with Rex Gordon, Sr. Judge Myers served as Chancellor for the 16th Chancery Court District. He has held the positions of secretary, vice-chairman, and chairman of the Chancery Judges Conference.

Judge Myers has been a Board Member and President of the Mississippi Gulf Coast YMCA. He is a member of the American Legion and the Masons. Ocean Springs named him outstanding citizen in 1981. Judge Myers is married and the father of three children. He is a Methodist and a fifth generation Mississippian.

DAVID A. CHANDLER

Court of Appeals
District 1,
Place 1
Term expires January 2007

Judge Chandler, a native of Choctaw County, was born August 5, 1946, and graduated from Weir High School in 1964. He attended Mississippi State University, where he earned his bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees in education. He spent twenty years in education, including almost ten years as a Research and Curriculum Specialist at Mississippi State University.

He attended law school at the University of Mississippi where he earned his Juris Doctorate. Following law school he began practicing law in Tupelo. In January 2000 his law firm opened a branch office in Ackerman. From January until December 2000, he represented the Board of Supervisors in Choctaw County. He also served as municipal judge for his hometown of Weir in 1999 and 2000.

In May 2004, Judge Chandler was awarded a Master of Laws in the Judicial Process from the University of Virginia School of Law. He completed the program along with 28 other state and federal judges from 17 states. Judge Chandler is the first Mississippi Court of Appeals judge to complete the nationally acclaimed program.

Judge Chandler is a member of the Tupelo, Mississippi, and American Bar Associations. He and his wife, Glenda, live in Ackerman where they attend the Enon Cumberland Presbyterian Church. He is the father of two children.

T. KENNETH GRIFFIS, JR.

Court of Appeals
District 3,
Place 2
Term expires January 2007

Kenny Griffis, Jr. serves on the Mississippi Court of Appeals, representing the Third District. Before being elected to the Court of Appeals in November of 2002, he practiced law in Central Mississippi for more than 15 years.

Judge Griffis is a native of Meridian and a product of the Meridian Public Schools, Meridian Community College, the University of Mississippi and Mississippi State University - Meridian Branch. He obtained his accounting and law degrees from the University of Mississippi and is a Certified Public Accountant.

He has served as an officer or board member of the Mississippi Bar, the Lauderdale County Bar, the Jackson Young Lawyers, and the Hinds County Bar Associations. Griffis is the past chair of the Mississippi Bar Litigation and General Practice Section. He is currently a member of the Mississippi Supreme Court's Advisory Committee on the Rules, the Fellows of The Mississippi Bar Young Lawyers Division, and the Lamar Order of the University of Mississippi School of Law. He is also a member of the Federalist Society and the Christian Legal Society.

Judge Griffis and his wife have five boys. They live in Ridgeland and attend Christ United Methodist Church, where he teaches 9th grade Sunday School. He has been a Cub Scout leader and a coach for over 20 youth sports teams, including baseball, basketball, soccer, and hockey.

DONNA M. BARNES

Court of Appeals
District 1,
Place 2
Term expires January 2007

Court of Appeals Judge Donna M. Barnes of Tupelo was appointed by Governor Haley Barbour on July 26, 2004, to fill the unexpired term of retired Chief Judge Roger McMillin, Jr. Judge Barnes assumed her duties on August 16, 2004. As an appointee to the Court, she must run for the post in the next regularly scheduled judicial election, which is November 2006. The winning candidate will serve the Court for the remainder of Chief McMillin's term, which ends in January 2011.

Born in Natchez, Judge Barnes earned a bachelor's degree in 1982 from the University of Mississippi, *summa cum laude*, with majors in classical civilizations and English. She obtained her Juris Doctorate from the University of Mississippi School of Law, where she graduated *magna cum laude* in 1985. She was a member of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity and a research editor of *Mississippi Law Journal*. Judge Barnes is a member of the University of Mississippi Lamar Order.

For more than 18 years, Judge Barnes practiced law with Mitchell, McNutt and Sams in Tupelo with concentrations in appellate practice, real estate, health care, employment discrimination, section 1983 litigation, and professional liability defense.

In 1996, she took sabbatical to study law at the University of Cambridge, where she was one of three American students in the LLM program, which that year admitted 152 attorneys from 48 countries. Her studies

included international commercial litigation, comparative public law, international human rights, and law and practice of civil liberties. A member of Magdalene College, Judge Barnes earned her Master of Laws from the University of Cambridge in 1997.

Admitted to the practice of law in Mississippi in 1985, Judge Barnes is qualified to practice before the United States Supreme Court, the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, the United States District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts of Mississippi, and all Mississippi state courts. She is a member of the Mississippi, Fifth Circuit, American, and Lee County Bar Associations. She has served as president of both the Lee County Bar and the Lee County Young Lawyers Associations.

Judge Barnes is a graduate of Leadership Lee County, a member of the Tupelo Main Street Association "E-Club," and a communicant of All Saints Episcopal Church in Tupelo.

DAVID M. ISHEE

Court of Appeals
District 5,
Place 2
Term expires January 2007

Judge David M. Ishee was born in Gulfport in 1963. He graduated from the University of Southern Mississippi with a bachelor's degree, attended the University of London, and received his Juris Doctorate from the University of Mississippi School of Law. Upon graduation, Ishee entered private practice and formed the law firm of Lang and Ishee. In 1992 he was appointed Municipal Court Judge for the city of Pascagoula, making him the youngest municipal court judge in the state of Mississippi. He was reappointed for a second term in 1996. Judge Ishee has also served as Board Attorney for the Gulf Coast Regional Wastewater Authority, interim Municipal Court Judge for the city of Ocean Springs, Judge Pro Tem for the Jackson County Youth Court, and Pro Tem and Senior Municipal Court Judge for the City of Gulfport. Judge Ishee has been an adjunct professor at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, teaching torts and personal injury law. He is also admitted to and has extensive practice in all federal and state courts in the State of Mississippi, and is admitted to practice before the Fifth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. Ishee has served as president of the Jackson County Young Lawyers Division; secretary, vice-president, and president of the Jackson County Bar Association; and on numerous committees of the Mississippi Bar Association.

Ishee was appointed to the Mississippi Court of Appeals in September 2004 by Governor Haley Barbour to serve the unexpired term of Judge James E. Thomas. As an appointee to the Court, Judge Ishee must run in the November 2006 judicial election. The winning candidate will complete the term and hold the post through January 2009.

Judge Ishee is a member of the Gulfport Rotary Club, Gulfport Business Club, University of Southern Mississippi Harrison County Alumni Board, Southern Miss Eagle Club, Executive Board of the Harrison County Division of the American Heart Association, Mississippi Public Defenders Association, Gulfport

Yacht Club, Gulfport Gridiron Club, and the Bayou View Middle School Parent-Teachers Association.

He is married to the former Linda Lang of Pascagoula, and they have one daughter, Lauren. Ishee is the son of Representative and Mrs. Roger Ishee of Gulfport.

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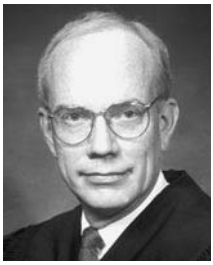

ROGER H. MCMILLIN, JR.

Court of Appeals
District 1,
Place 2
Retired April 30, 2004

Judge Roger H. McMillin, a native of New Albany, was born May 28, 1945. He graduated from New Albany High School in 1963 and completed his undergraduate studies at Mississippi State University where he received a bachelor's degree in 1967. That same year he attended Naval Officer Candidate School and was commissioned an Ensign. Following a two-year tour of duty as a communications officer, he enrolled in the Memphis State University Law School under the G.I. Bill. Judge McMillin received the Juris Doctorate degree from Memphis State University in 1972.

Following law school, he worked in the U.S.D.A.'s Office of General Counsel, primarily in Atlanta; was an associate with the Jackson law firm of Scott, Barbour and Scott; and, in 1977, returned to New Albany and entered private law practice. He became a member of the firm of Sumners, Carter and McMillin in 1983. He served as city attorney for New Albany from 1982 through 1994.

Judge McMillin was Bar Commissioner for the Third Circuit District from 1986 to 1989. He has twice been president of the Union County Development Association, and in 1990 was named Industrial Development Volunteer Laureate by the Governor. He has been president of the New Albany Rotary Club, chairman of fund drives for his local Boy Scouts and Cancer Society, and served a term as president of the Union County Library Board. Judge McMillin served as Chief Judge of the Appeals Court from February 1999 to January 2003. He retired from the Court in April 2004. Judge Donna Barnes was appointed by Governor Haley Barbour to serve the Court for McMillin's unexpired term.

Judge McMillin is married to the former Frankie Robbins of New Albany. They have five children and three grandchildren. He is a former Elder and Congregational Chairman of the Cleveland Street Presbyterian Church.

JAMES E. THOMAS

Court of Appeals
District 5,
Place 2
Died July 4, 2004

Judge James E. Thomas was born in Columbia March 1, 1950, but grew up in Gulfport, where he graduated from high school in 1968. Judge Thomas earned a bachelor's degree in history and political science in 1971 from the University of Southern Mississippi. He attended the University of Mississippi School of Law where he earned the Juris Doctorate degree in 1973.

Following graduation from law school, Judge Thomas returned home to Gulfport where, after a brief period of private practice, he was named Assistant District Attorney for the Second Circuit District Second Circuit District which included Harrison, Hancock, and Stone Counties. He served in that capacity from 1974 to 1982, at which time he was elected Circuit Court Judge.

Judge Thomas was a guest lecturer at William Carey College and at the Mississippi Highway Patrol Training Academy. He is a past chairman of the Circuit Judges' Conference of Mississippi. His professional memberships included the American Bar Association; Mississippi State Bar; American Judges Association; and Board of Governors, Mississippi Judicial College. Judge Thomas was a past member of the Mississippi Judicial Performance Commission.

At the time of Judge Thomas's death, he was serving the Appeals Court as Presiding Judge. He lived in Biloxi and was the father of two children.

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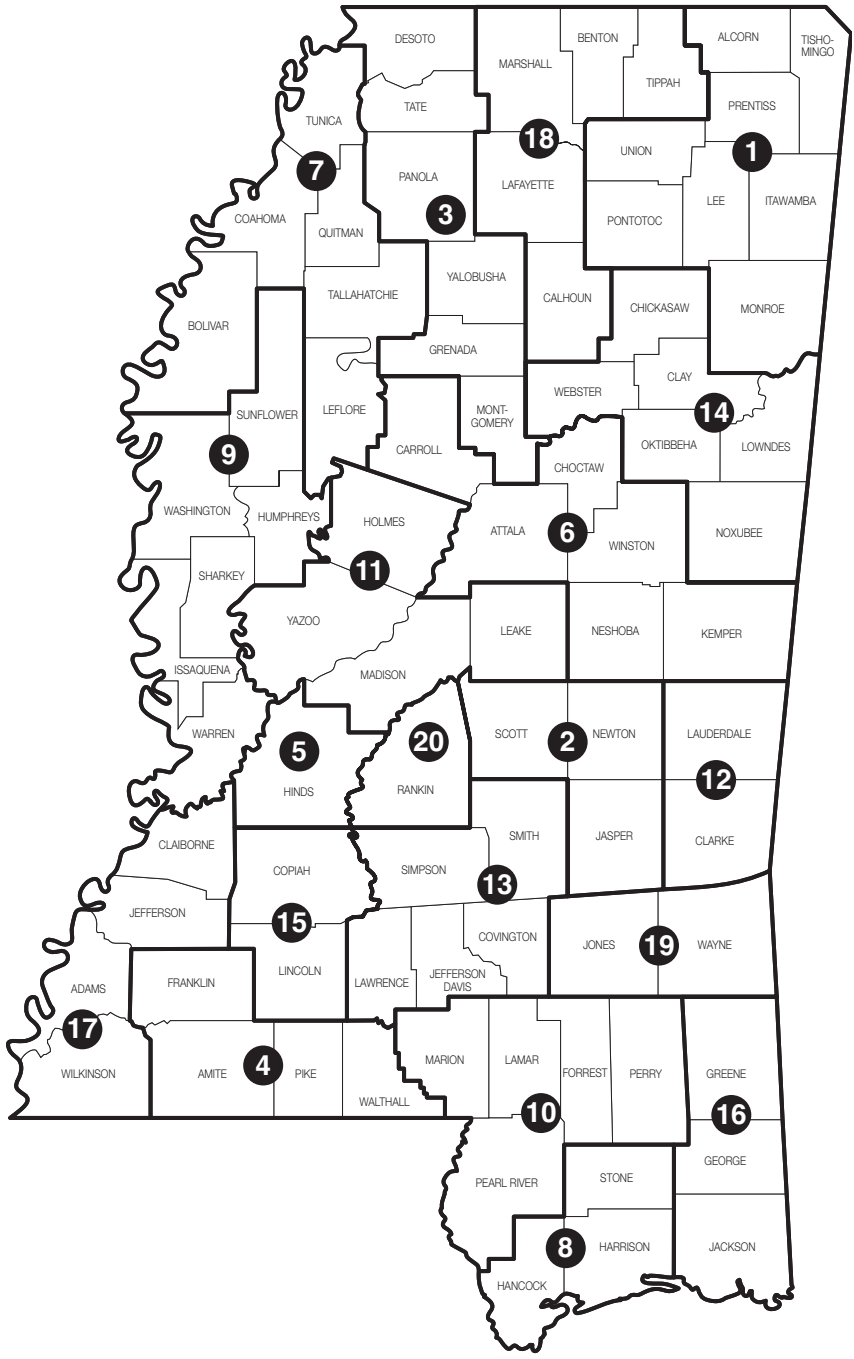
Court Districts by County

County	*Chancery District*	*Circuit District*
Adams	17	6
Alcorn	1	1
Amite	4	6
Attala	6	5
Benton	18	3
Bolivar	7	11
Calhoun	18	3
Carroll	6	5
Chickasaw	14	3
Choctaw	6	5
Claiborne	17	22
Clarke	12	10
Clay	14	16
Coahoma	7	11
Copiah	15	22
Covington	13	13
DeSoto	3	17
Forrest	10	12
Franklin	4	6
George	16	19
Greene	16	19
Grenada	3	5
Hancock	8	2
Harrison	8	2
Hinds	5	7
Holmes	11	21
Humphreys	9	21
Issaquena	9	9
Itawamba	1	1
Jackson	16	19
Jasper	2	13
Jefferson	17	22
Jefferson Davis	13	15
Jones	19	18
Kemper	6	10
Lafayette	18	3
Lamar	10	15
Lauderdale	12	10
Lawrence	13	15
Leake	11	8
Lee	1	1
Leflore	7	4
Lincoln	15	14
Lowndes	14	16
Madison	11	20
Marion	10	15
Marshall	18	3
Monroe	1	1
Montgomery	3	5
Neshoba	6	8
Newton	2	8
Noxubee	14	16
Oktibbeha	14	16
Panola	3	17
Pearl River	10	15
Perry	10	12
Pike	4	14
Pontotoc	1	1
Prentiss	1	1
Quitman	7	11
Rankin	20	20
Scott	2	8
Sharkey	9	9
Simpson	13	13
Smith	13	13
Stone	8	2
Sunflower	9	4
Tallahatchie	7	17
Tate	3	17
Tippah	18	3
Tishomingo	1	1
Tunica	7	11
Union	1	3
Walthall	4	14
Warren	9	9
Washington	9	4
Wayne	19	10
Webster	14	5
Wilkinson	17	6
Winston	6	5
Yalobusha	3	17
Yazoo	11	21

Chancery Court Districts



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Reporter, Ruth Olenski ..... P.O. Box 686, Jackson 39205-0686 ..... (601) 968-6548

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DISTRICT SIXTEEN

(George, Greene, and Jackson Counties)

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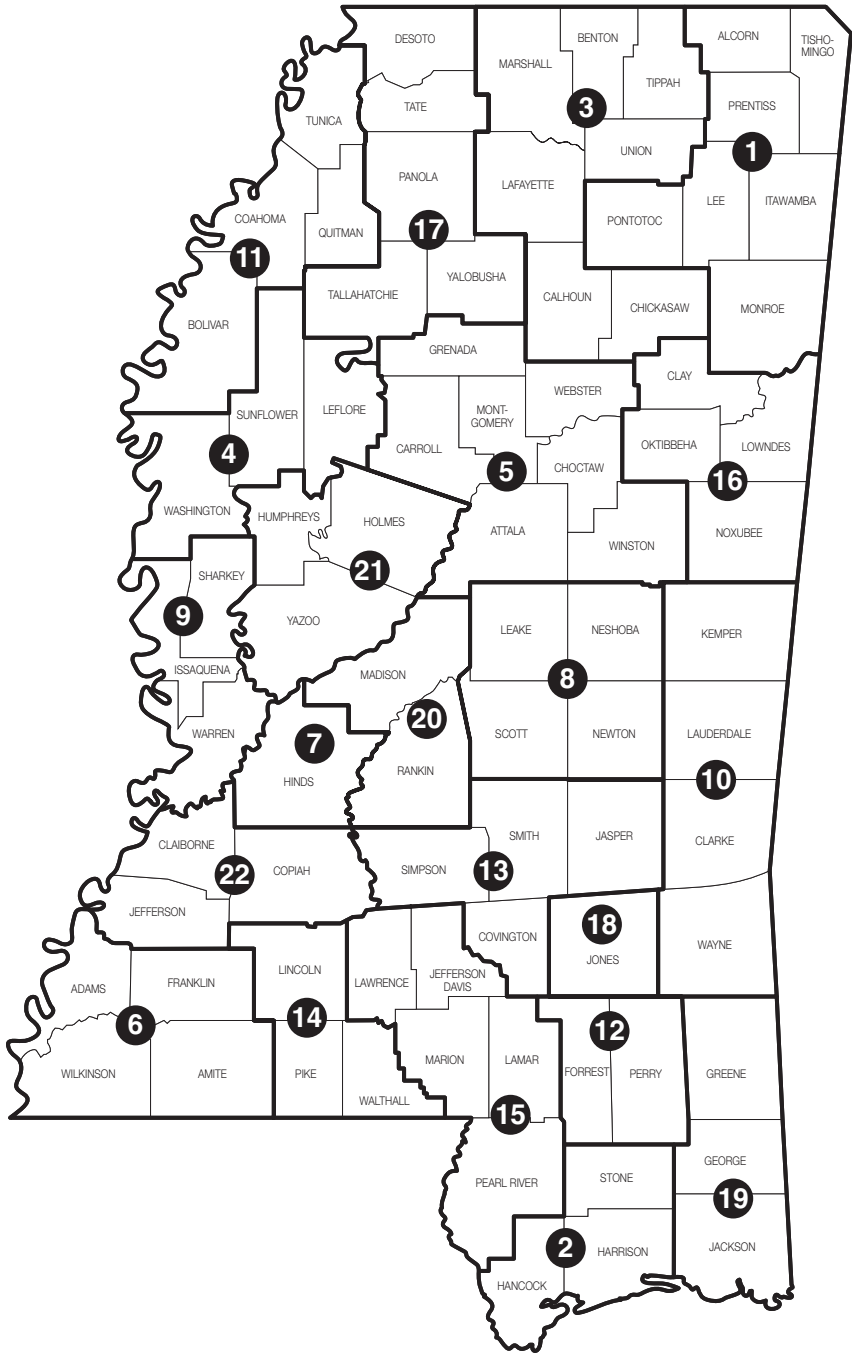
Circuit Court Districts



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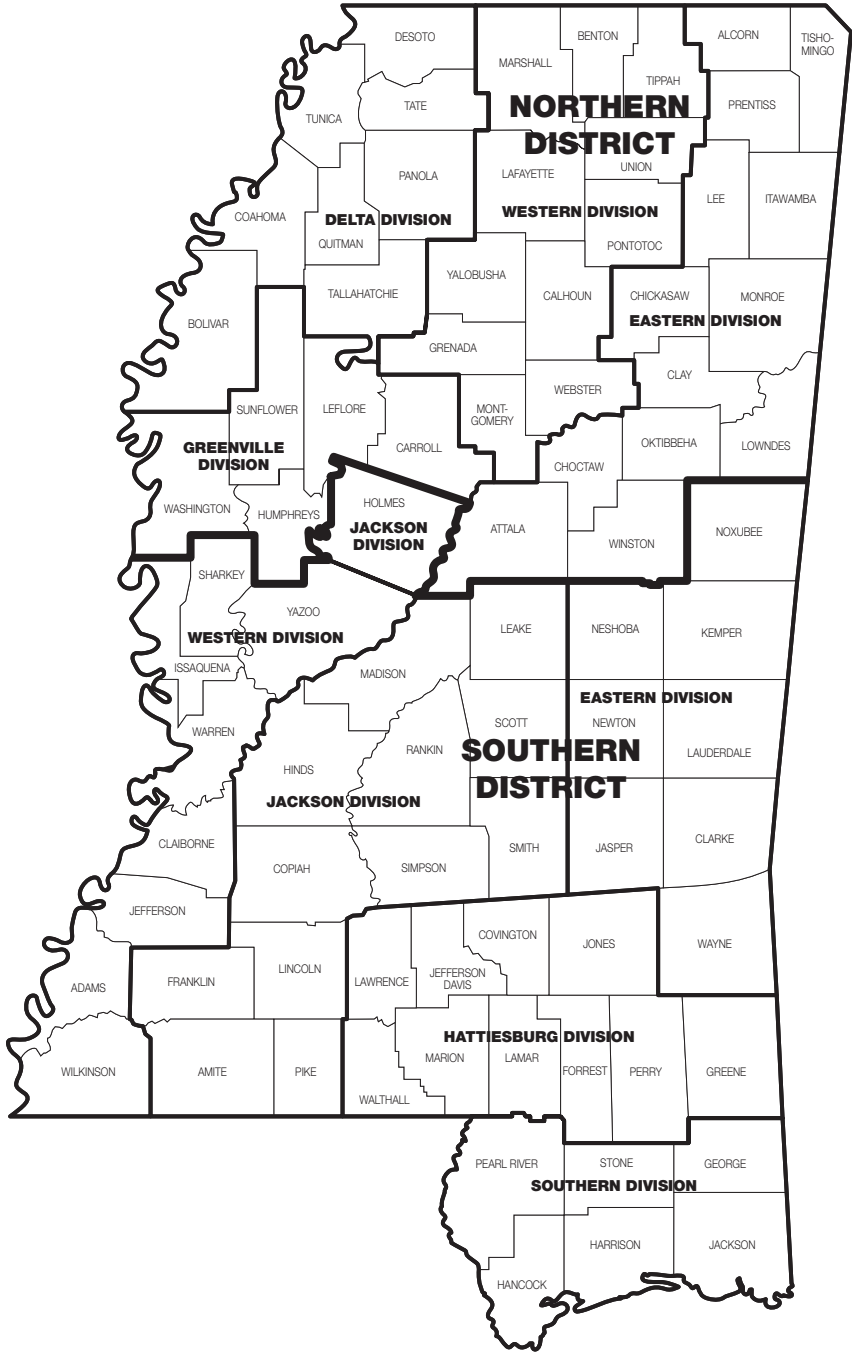

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"It is imperative that good citizens play a major role in making their government the best it can be."

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Served the state of Mississippi in Washington, D.C. for thirty years (1966-1996)

A major concern of every citizen who wishes to effectively participate in government should be, "how can I influence government decisions in a positive way?" This is a very legitimate concern, and one that I feel qualified to address, based on my forty years as a state and national legislator. My success in serving the people of Mississippi resulted from citizens and community leaders helping me make the right decisions.

As a U.S. Congressman, I was honored to author: the Montgomery GI Bill that provides education benefits to our military and veterans; the bill that elevated to Cabinet status the Department of Veterans Affairs; and the bill that expanded veterans' medical benefits and Guard and Reserve re-employment rights. These initiatives resulted from the information and guidance I received from persons back home who cared about good government and were not reluctant to become involved.

It is imperative that good citizens play a major role in making their government the best it can be. I believe the essential ingredient in being effective in communicating your concerns to government officials is integrity. Integrity is something you absolutely must have to be an effective spokesman for your organization or issue.

The first step in establishing a reputation for integrity is to always be sure of your facts. When a legislator or staff person learns that they can rely on your information, you have gone far in establishing your credibility. If erroneous information is provided the result casts doubt on all you may provide in the future. When an elected official uses facts provided by you and these are consequently disproved, you have damaged not only your own credibility but also that of the official involved. Obviously, being sure of your facts is a must.

Also integrity is being fair-minded in your approach and ethical in all your relationships with elected officials. Recognize that there is another side to the issue, and prepare yourself by gaining full knowledge of the facts as seen by the other side. Your position is strengthened and you demonstrate your own reliability by recognizing the concerns of others. Do not ask for special favors, but do ask for fair consideration.

All citizens have a responsibility to be a part of effective government. I encourage you to do your part by establishing relationships built on a solid foundation of integrity. Remember, if you "stay the course" and are always honest in your dealings, you will make a difference.

ESSAY BY FORMER CONGRESSMAN
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The United States Constitution provides that all legislative powers of the federal government are vested in a Congress consisting of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Federal Officials
The Congress assembles at least once every year, beginning on the first Monday of December, in the capitol building in Washington, D.C.

Powers granted to Congress by the constitution include imposing and collecting taxes, paying the national debt, regulating international and interstate commerce, establishing military forces, sitting in tribunals inferior to the Supreme Court, and providing for the common defense and general welfare of the United States.

The Senate
Each state is represented by two Senators who are elected to six year, staggered terms. Each Senator represents his or her entire state. Reserved to the Senate are the powers of trying all impeachments and reviewing all presidential appointments requiring Senate approval. The Vice President of the United States is president of the Senate, but only votes in case of a tie.

Senators must be at least 30 years of age, a citizen of the United States nine years, and an inhabitant of the state he or she represents. Senators may be re-elected to consecutive terms.

The House of Representatives
The House of Representatives is composed of members chosen every second year to represent the congressional districts of his or her state. Each state's number of congressional districts is determined by population, with the total membership of the House of Representatives being 435. Reserved to the House of Representatives is the origination of bills to raise revenue and the sole power of impeachment. The House of Representatives is led by a speaker who is chosen by the members.

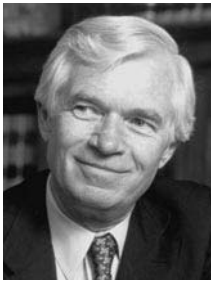
Representatives must be at least 25 years of age, citizens of the United States seven years, and inhabitants of the state they represent. They may be re-elected to consecutive terms.

Source: The Constitution of the United States of America/ ARTICLE 1 The Congress.

The 2000 Census
Mississippi's population determines the state's number of U.S. Representatives. From 1962 to 2000, Mississippi had five congressional districts. Although

Mississippi experienced a net gain of almost 300,000 citizens between 1990 and 2000, congressional reapportionment caused the state to lose a congressional seat before the congressional elections of 2002. For more information, see chart on page 244.

Congressional apportionment for each state is based upon (1) the resident population and (2) the overseas U.S. military and federal civilian employees (and their dependents living with them) allocated to their home state, as reported by the employing federal agencies.



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THAD COCHRAN

Thad Cochran, the senior United States Senator from Mississippi, is serving his fifth term in the Senate. Previously, he served six years in the U.S. House of Representatives. He is a Republican. Cochran is the chairman of the Appropriations Committee with jurisdiction over funding for the federal government. He is also a member of the Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee and the Rules Committee.

Cochran was born December 7, 1937, in Pontotoc, the son of educators. He attended public schools and achieved the rank of Eagle Scout as a student in Byram. He earned undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Mississippi. Cochran studied international law under a Rotary Foundation Fellowship at Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland, where he addressed groups on the civil rights struggle in Mississippi and the United States. He was awarded honorary degrees from Mississippi College, Kentucky Wesleyan College, Blue Mountain College, and the University of Richmond.

While serving as an officer in the U.S. Naval Reserve, Cochran graduated from the U.S. Navy School of Justice in Newport, Rhode Island. He later returned to the Officer Candidate School (OCS) in Newport to teach courses in military law and naval orientation. He has received numerous conservation awards and authored the Mississippi Wilderness Act, insuring the perpetual protection of lands in Mississippi.

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Lott was born October 9, 1941, in Grenada County, the son of a sharecropper farmer turned shipyard worker and a school teacher. He was educated in the Pascagoula public schools and earned undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Mississippi.

Lott attends First Baptist Church in Pascagoula. He is married to the former Patricia (Tricia) Thompson of Pascagoula. The couple has two grown children, a son Chet and a daughter Tyler, and four grandchildren, Chester III, Luci, Elizabeth, and Addison.

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United States Representative
First Congressional District

ROGER F. WICKER

Roger Wicker was elected to represent Mississippi's First Congressional District in 1994. He was re-elected to a sixth term in November 2004. He is a Republican and deputy majority whip. Prior to his election to the U.S. House of Representatives, Wicker served two terms in the Mississippi State Senate. Wicker currently serves on the House Appropriations Committee and is a member of two appropriations subcommittees, including Labor, Health and Human Services and Education Subcommittee and Defense Subcommittee. In 2003, he was named to the Budget Committee. He was reappointed to another term on the Budget Committee in 2005. Wicker has also served as chairman of the Tennessee Valley Authority Congressional Caucus and has been recognized for his work in the areas of health care research and disease prevention funding.

Congressman Wicker was born July 5, 1951, in Pontotoc and was educated in the public schools there. He earned undergraduate and law degrees at the University of Mississippi. He served in the U.S. Air Force and retired from the U.S. Air Force Reserve in 2004 with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Wicker is a member of First Baptist Church Tupelo where he is a deacon and choir member. He is married to the former Gayle Long of Tupelo and they are the parents of three children, Margaret, Caroline, and McDaniel.

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United States Representative

Second Congressional District

BENNIE G. THOMPSON

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Thompson is a member of the Asbury United Methodist Church. He is married to the former London Johnson of Mound Bayou, and they have one daughter, BendaLonne, and one granddaughter, Jeanna.

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United States Representative

Third Congressional District

CHARLES W. (CHIP) PICKERING

Chip Pickering was first elected to represent Mississippi's Third Congressional District in 1996. He is a Republican. Pickering serves as Vice-Chairman of the House Energy and Commerce Committee and serves on the Telecommunications, Energy and Air Quality, Health, and the Oversight and Investigations Subcommittees. He is co-chairman of the Congressional Wireless Caucus and serves as assistant majority whip in the House of Representatives. Pickering was born August 10, 1963, in Jones County. He graduated from the Laurel public schools. He earned an undergraduate degree at the University of Mississippi and a master's degree in business administration from Baylor University. Pickering pioneered the first full-time presence by a Southern Baptist missionary behind the Iron Curtain in Budapest, the capital of then communist Hungary. President George H.W. Bush appointed Pickering to the United States Department of Agriculture to bring economic and democratic reform to Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Pickering also served as a member of Senator Trent Lott's staff and a professional staff member on the Senate Commerce Committee before leaving to run for Congress. Pickering and his wife, the former Leisha Jane Prather of Memphis, TN, live in rural Madison County with their five sons, Will, Ross, Jackson, Asher, and Harper.

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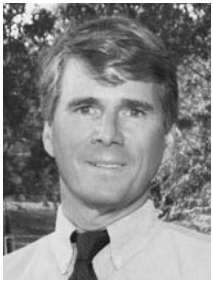

United States Representative
Fourth Congressional District

GENE TAYLOR

Gene Taylor was elected to represent south Mississippi in 1989. He is Mississippi's senior U.S. Representative and a Democrat. Taylor is a member of the House Armed Services Committee, a ranking member of the Projections Forces Subcommittee and the Readiness Subcommittee. On the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, he serves on the Highways, Transit and Pipelines and the Water Resources and Environment Subcommittees. In addition, Taylor serves as co-chair of the following three Congressional Member Organizations: National Guard and Reserve Caucus, Coast Guard Caucus, and the House Boating Caucus.

Taylor was born September 17, 1953, in New Orleans, LA. He earned undergraduate degrees in history and political science at Tulane University. He is a former Bay St. Louis City Councilman and State Senator. Taylor served as a search and rescue boat skipper in the Coast Guard Reserve from 1971-1984.

Taylor is married to the former Margaret Gordon of Bay St. Louis, and they are the parents of three children, Sarah, Emily, and Gary.

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Mississippi's Congressional Representation

YEAR	RESIDENT POPULATION	NUMBER OF REPRESENTATIVES
2000	2,844,658	4
1990	2,573,216	5
1980	2,520,770	5
1970	2,216,994	5
1960	2,178,141	5
1950	2,178,914	6
1940	2,183,796	7
1930	2,009,821	7
1920	1,790,618	8
1910	1,797,114	8
1900	1,551,270	8
1890	1,289,600	7
1880	1,131,597	7
1870	827,922	6
1860	791,305	5
1850	606,526	5
1840	375,651	4
1830	136,621	2
1820	75,448	1
1810	31,306	1
1800	7,600	0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau 2000 (See page 238 for more information about representation based on population.)

Mississippi Counties by Congressional District

District 1
Alcorn
Benton
Calhoun
Chickasaw
Choctaw
Clay
DeSoto
Grenada
Itawamba
Lafayette
Lee
Lowndes
Marshall
Monroe
Panola
Pontotoc
Prentiss
Tate
Tippah
Tishomingo
Union
Webster (3)*
Winston (3)*
Yalobusha

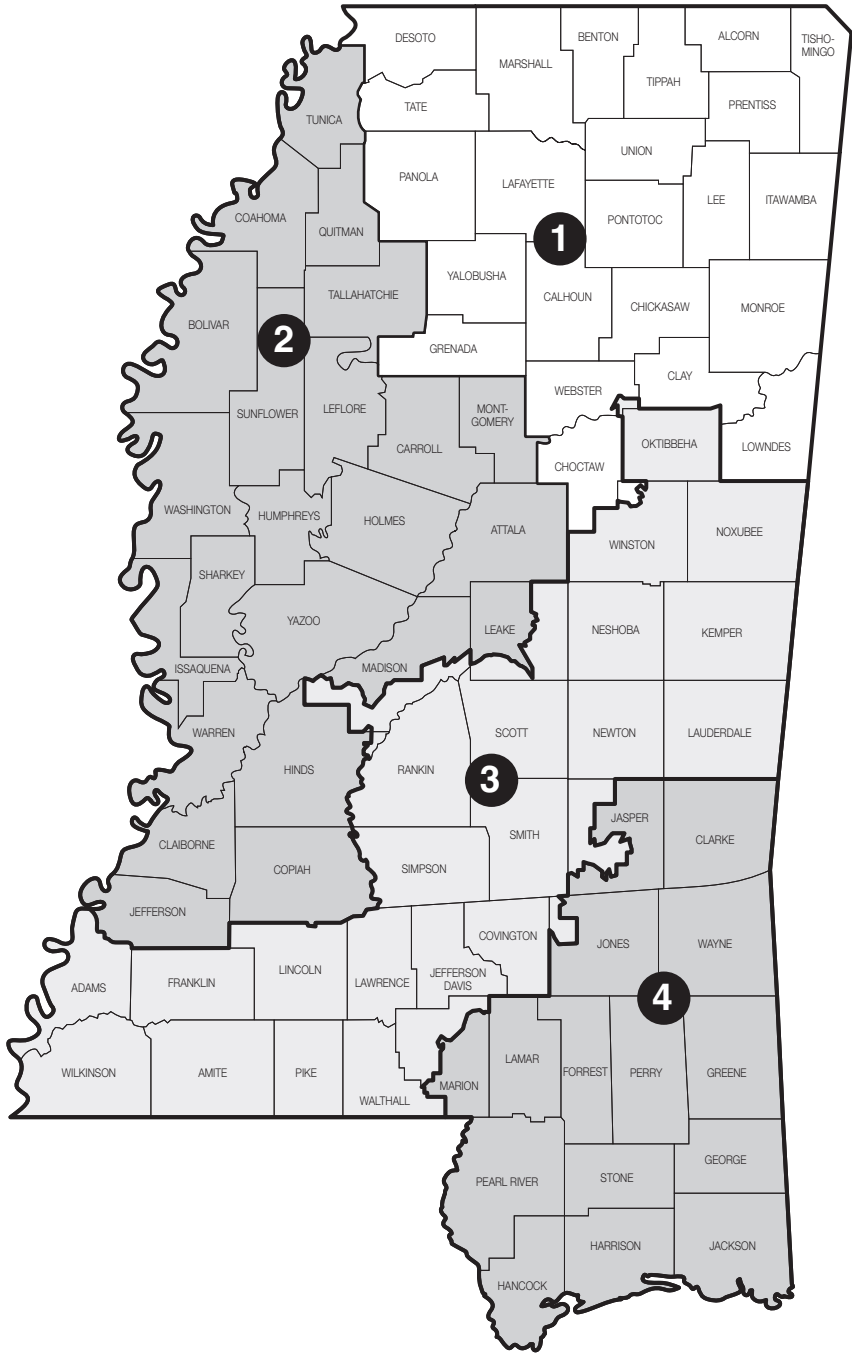
District 2
Attala
Bolivar
Carroll
Claiborne
Coahoma
Copiah
Hinds (3)*
Holmes
Humphreys
Issaquena
Jefferson
Leake (3)*
Leflore
Madison (3)*
Montgomery
Quitman
Sharkey
Sunflower (3)*
Tallahatchie
Tunica
Warren
Washington
Yazoo

District 3
Adams
Amite
Covington
Franklin
Hinds (2)*
Jasper (4)*
Jefferson Davis
Jones (4)*
Kemper
Lauderdale
Lawrence
Leake (2)
Lincoln
Madison (2)
Marion (4)
Neshoba
Newton
Noxubee
Oktibbeha
Pike
Rankin
Scott
Simpson
Smith
Walthall
Webster (1)*
Wilkerson
Winston (1)*

District 4
Clarke
Forrest
George
Greene
Hancock
Harrison
Jackson
Jasper (3)*
Jones (3)*
Lamar
Marion (3)*
Pearl River
Perry
Stone
Wayne

**These counties are split between two districts. The number of the county's other district is provided in parentheses next to its name.*
Source: Congressional Redistricting Plan, 2002

Congressional Districts



County Government

"The simple mention of a specific Mississippi county evokes a vast array of images that serve to complete the picture of who we are as citizens of this state."

Dr. W. Martin Wiseman
Director of the John C. Stennis Institute of Government
Mississippi State University

County Government

It seems that no description of the social and cultural milieu of Mississippi is ever complete without the mention of that mystical quality referred to as a "sense of place." Mississippians are always able to establish a basis for understanding one another by discovering where each is from. More often than not the information supplied when one is queried as to his or her origins contains reference to a county. Hence in Mississippi, counties carry far more meaning for those of us who call this state home than would be the case if we were merely referring to units of government. The simple mention of a specific Mississippi county evokes a vast array of images that serve to complete the picture of who we are as citizens of this state. A natural extension is the sense of tradition that we attach to life in these largely rural places. No doubt it is this element of nostalgia that helps to maintain the conservative nature that characterizes county government in Mississippi.

Mississippians are often known to claim county government as being the closest to the people. Indeed surveys here and in similar states bear this out. As such, county officials feel that they are successful in achieving office more because they identify with the lifestyles of those who elected them than for any other reason. Because of this, citizen expectations for the responsiveness of county government are far more salient than for any other level of government.

This image of county government makes it possible to better understand the roles that county officials in Mississippi have perceived for themselves. The basic structure of county government that exists today in Mississippi first appeared in Section 170 of Mississippi's 1890 Constitution. According to this section, each of Mississippi's counties would be divided into five districts with a "Supervisor" elected from each district to oversee the "roads, bridges, and ferries" of his respective district. It has been traditionally claimed that the goal was to maintain these transportation routes to enable a citizen of a district to travel from his home to the county seat and back in the course of one day. It is clear that one who was willing to take on the role of county supervisor in Mississippi was willing to accept considerable responsibility for the well-being of the citizens who elected him. This tradition continues today. County supervisors and other county officials are very careful when embracing practices whose ultimate value to county citizens has not been clearly established. They are not resisting progress as much as they are responding to citizens'

Essay by Dr. W. Martin Wiseman,
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expectations that they protect a way of life.

Day-to-day functioning of Mississippi's county government reflects an acknowledgement that citizens expect a modern array of services. While transportation infrastructure is as important today as ever, this function has been joined by a variety of activities such as the provision of hospitals, libraries, environmental services, and recreation. In addition, the provision of law enforcement services in a world that increasingly does not differentiate between urban centers and rural communities has become of significant concern to all citizens. State government is able to localize its services by making counties the administrative units for many programs.

Even in this modern era, counties continue to play the role that was laid out for them in the 1890 Constitution. Though the tools available to county officials may have changed and the responsibilities may have become more numerous and varied the goal of county government in Mississippi remains the same – to put government in reach of all of us.

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Mississippi became a territory of the United States in 1798. On December 10, 1917, Mississippi became the twentieth state admitted to the union.

Mississippi counties organized prior to statehood. Their organization dates are: Adams (1798), Amite (1809), Claiborne (1802), Franklin (1809), Greene (1811), Hancock (1812), Jackson (1812), Jefferson (1799 - as "Pickering;" named "Jefferson" in 1802), Lawrence (1814), Marion (1811), Pike (1815), Warren (1809), Washington (1800), Wayne (1809), and Wilkinson (1802). The last county formed was Stone County in 1916. County boundaries were changed over time to accommodate the formation of new counties.

Countywide Offices

BOARD ATTORNEY

Qualifications: An attorney qualified to practice law in Mississippi.

Duties: The Board Attorney is not an elected office. This person represents the county's Board of Supervisors by their appointment.

CHANCERY CLERK

Qualifications: These officers must be qualified electors of the county in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $15 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The Chancery Clerk is elected to a four-year term and may run for re-election. The Chancery Clerk is the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and of the Chancery Court. The Clerk is responsible for maintaining the records of both the Board and the Court.

CIRCUIT CLERK

Qualifications: These officers must be qualified electors of the county in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $15.

Duties: The Circuit Clerk is elected to a four-year term and may run for re-election. The Clerk is the chief officer of the Circuit Court and chief elections officer of the county. The Clerk maintains the voter rolls and assists the Election Commissioners in purging the voter rolls, and assists election officials in conducting primary and general elections.

TAX ASSESSOR AND/OR COLLECTOR

Qualifications: These officers must be qualified electors of the county in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $15 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The Tax Assessor and/or Collector may serve in both capacities in all counties. This official is elected to a four-year term and may run for re-election. The Assessor's role is to maintain the personal, real, and ad valorem tax rolls of the county. The Collector is responsible for keeping the records of tax payments and depositing the money in the county treasury.

CORONER

Qualifications: The Coroner must be a qualified elector, at least 21 years of age, of the county in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $10 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The Coroner is elected to a four-year term and may run for re-election. The Coroner is the chief county medical examiner and/or county medical examiner investigator. This official is responsible for issuing declarations of death and performing or reporting results of autopsies in cases requiring such action.

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Qualifications: The County Prosecuting Attorney must be a qualified elector and a regular licensed and practicing attorney. The qualifying fee is $15 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The County Prosecuting Attorney represents the state in all investigations for felony in Justice Court and County Court and in all criminal cases appealed to the Circuit Court from County Court. The county prosecutor may assist the district attorney, present matters to the county grand jury, and in some youth court proceedings. The county attorney is elected to a four-year term and may run for re-election.

COUNTY SURVEYOR

Qualifications: The County Surveyor must be a registered land surveyor and a qualified elector of the county in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $10 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The County Surveyor executes all orders of survey directed to him by any court, all surveys of land within his county at the request of the owners or proprietors, and to survey, resurvey, measure, and divide land as requested by the county board of supervisors.

SHERIFF

Qualifications: The Sheriff must not be a defaulter to the State or any county or municipality or to the United States and a qualified elector. The qualifying fee is $15 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement officer of the county and is elected to a four-year term. He may run for re-election. The Sheriff is the chief officer of the Chancery and Circuit Courts and maintains the county law library. The Sheriff is in charge of the county courthouse, jail, and protection of prisoners.

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

Mississippi has five different type school districts:

1. Consolidated School Districts – lie wholly within one county, but do not include municipal separate and county;

2. Line Consolidated School Districts – embrace territory in two or more counties, but do not include municipal separate districts;

3. Municipal Separate School Districts – encompass the boundary of a municipality, and may have added territory;

4. Special Municipal Separate School Districts – municipal separate districts which have been reconstituted or reorganized with added territory exclusive of any added territory which was part of the municipal separate school district before reorganization;

5. County School Districts – lie wholly within a county and are not constituted as either form of consolidated or municipal district. Superintendents of Education in all districts with the exception of county districts are appointed. County Superintendents of Education are elected with the exception of Hinds County.

Qualifications: A Superintendent of Education must be a qualified elector, the holder of a valid Class AA Administrator's certificate issued by the State Department of Education, and not less than four years of classroom and/or administrative experience.

Duties: The Miss. Code Ann. (1972) provides for a County Superintendent of Education to be in each county. The Superintendent is elected to a four-year term and may seek re-election. The Superintendent of Education is the chief administrative officer of the school district. The Superintendent serves as the executive secretary of the county board of education, but has no vote in the proceedings before the board and no voice in fixing its policies. The Superintendent is the director of all schools in the county outside the municipal separate school districts.

County District Offices

CONSTABLE

Qualifications: Constables must be qualified electors in the county and district in which elections are sought. The qualifying fee is $10 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: County Constables shall keep and preserve the peace within his county by aiding and assisting in executing the criminal laws of the state for the Justice Courts of his district. Constables shall obey all lawful orders and execute all judgments for Justice Courts within this district.

JUSTICE COURT CLERK

Qualifications: The board of supervisors of each county shall appoint one (1) person to serve as Clerk of the Justice Court system.

Duties: The Clerk shall file and record actions and pleadings, acknowledge affidavits, issue warrants in criminal cases, certify and issue copies of records, documents, and pleadings filed in the Justice Court, collect any fines or costs required by the Justice Court, and to issue all processes necessary for the operation of the Justice Court.

JUSTICE COURT JUDGE

Qualifications: A Justice Court Judge must be a qualified elector, a resident of the county and district for two (2) years preceding the day of election, and complete course of training required by law within six (6) months of the beginning of the term of office. The qualifying fee is $10 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: Justice Court Judges shall have civil and criminal jurisdiction of all actions where the principal of the debt, amount of the demand, or the value of the property sought to be recovered shall not exceed $2,500.

SUPERVISOR

Qualifications: County Supervisors must be qualified electors of the county and a resident in the district in which election is sought. The qualifying fee is $15 and is payable to the appropriate county executive committee via the Circuit Clerk.

Duties: Supervisors shall have the power to adopt, modify, alter, or repeal orders, resolutions, or ordinances in their respective county and district not inconsistent with law. In general, Supervisors have jurisdiction over roads, ferries, bridges, tax levies, courthouses, jails, county-owned real property, appropriation of funds, contractual powers of municipality as well as other powers expressly authorized by law.

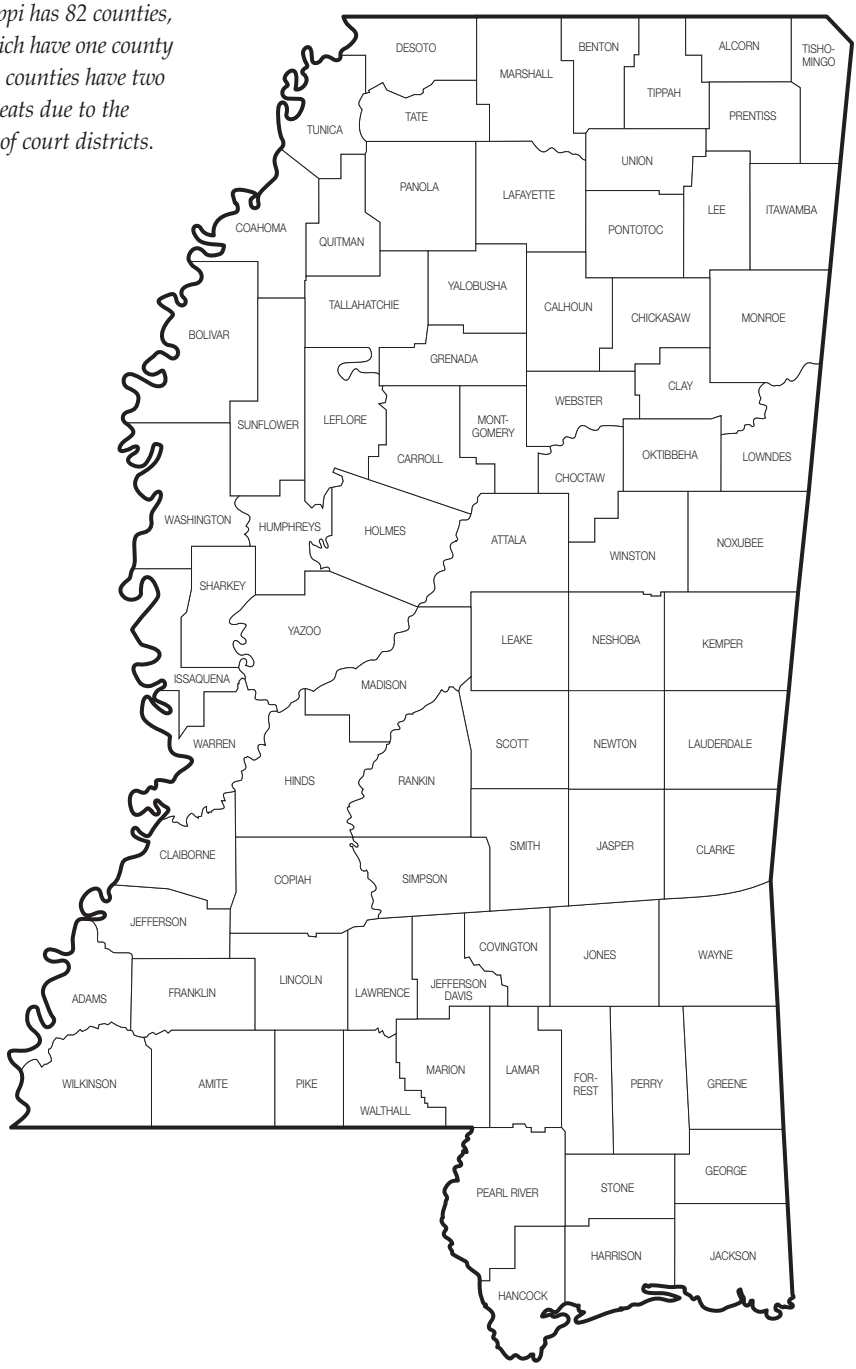
ELECTION COMMISSIONERS:

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the supervisor district in which election is sought. No fee required. Number of signatures required: 50.

Duties: An Election Commissioner's general duties include conducting elections, certifying election results, and purging voter rolls.

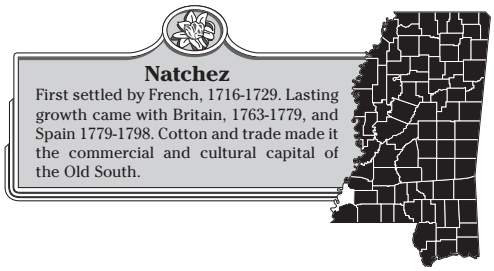
Counties

Mississippi has 82 counties, 72 of which have one county seat. Ten counties have two county seats due to the division of court districts.



ADAMS COUNTY

County Seat: Natchez
Named for President John Adams
Formed: 1817
Area: 486.4 square miles
Population: 34,340


Natchez
First settled by French, 1716-1729. Lasting growth came with Britain, 1763-1779, and Spain 1779-1798. Cotton and trade made it the commercial and cultural capital of the Old South.

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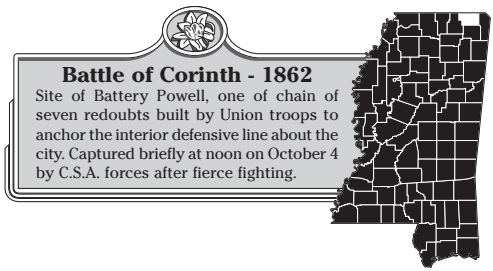
ALCORN COUNTY

County Seat: Corinth
Named for Governor James L. Alcorn
Formed: 1870
Area: 401.3 square miles
Population: 34,558


Battle of Corinth - 1862
Site of Battery Powell, one of chain of seven redoubts built by Union troops to anchor the interior defensive line about the city. Captured briefly at noon on October 4 by C.S.A. forces after fierce fighting.

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District 2 .....John H. Peebles .....38 CR 260, Glen 38846
District 3 .....Billy W. Bearden .....8 S. Front St., Rienzi 38865
District 4 .....Keith Settlemires .....60 CR 502, Collins 38834
District 5 .....Wendell Dixon .....313 CR 760, Corinth 38834

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District 3
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District 4
Gary Ross .....P.O. Box 69, Corinth 38835-0069 .....(662) 286-7707/(f) (662) 286-7706
District 5
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AMITE COUNTY

County Seat: Liberty
Named for the Indian word which means "friendly river"
Formed: 1817
Area: 731.6 square miles
Population: 13,599

Centreville (Elysian Fields)
Began as Spanish relay post. Known prior to 1824 as Elysian Fields, or Amite Courthouse. After 1884, the new town, springing up on railroad, gradually absorbed old site.

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District 2
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Nelson L. Dawson .....5656 Pecan Rd., Liberty 39645
District 2 .....Vergia T. Bradley .....3013 County Farm Rd., Liberty 39645
District 3 .....Bessie P. Fowler .....P.O. Box 61, Gloster 39638
District 4 .....Joyce N. Duck .....227 E. Blalock Cir., Liberty 39645
District 5 .....Sadye Pearl Ravencraft .....4758 MS Hwy. 584, Liberty 39645

Justice Court Clerk
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District 1
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District 2
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District 2
Will L. Powell .....2098 Street Rd., Liberty 39645 .....(601) 657-4327/(f) (601) 657-8288
District 3
J.P. (Jackie) Whittington .3162 Hunter Ln., Gloster 39638 .....(601) 225-4613/(f) (601) 657-8288
District 4
Travis Taylor .....7641 Short Rd., Summit 39666 .....(601) 684-6805/(f) (601) 657-8288
District 5
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Tax Collector
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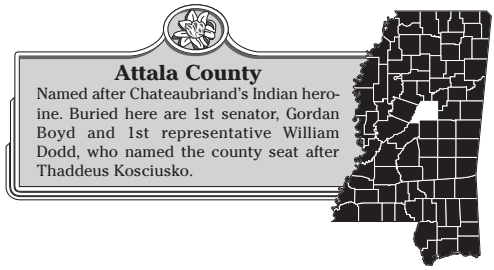
ATTALA COUNTY

County Seat: Kosciusko
Named for Indian heroine Attala
Formed: 1833
Area: 736.9 square miles
Population: 19,661


Attala County
Named after Chateaubriand's Indian heroine. Buried here are 1st senator, Gordan Boyd and 1st representative William Dodd, who named the county seat after Thaddeus Kosciusko.

Board Attorney
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Constables
East
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West
Willie Roby .....112 W. Adams St., Kosciusko 39090 .....(662) 289-5556

Coroner
Kay Robertson .....112 W. Adams St., Kosciusko 39090 .....(662) 289-5556

County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 2 . . . . . .Charles Kelly Black . . . . . .Rt. 3 Box 157, McCool 39108
District 3 . . . . . .Frankie Farmer . . . . . .4715 Attala Rd., Hwy. 440, West 39192
District 4 . . . . . .Virginia L. Clark . . . . . .Rt. 1 Box 131, Sallis 39160
District 5 . . . . . .Mildred Casey . . . . . .Rt. 4 Box 256, Kosciusko 39090

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judges
East
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West
Ronnie Stewart . . . . . .Courthouse, Court Sq., Kosciusko 39090 . . .(662) 289-7272/(f) (662) 289-0105

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Supervisors
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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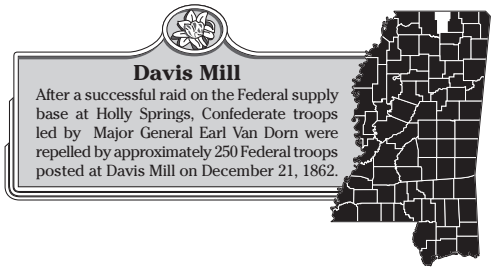
BENTON COUNTY

County Seat: Ashland
Named for Samuel Benton, a general in the Confederate army
Formed: 1870
Area: 408.5 square miles
Population: 8,026


Davis Mill
After a successful raid on the Federal supply base at Holly Springs, Confederate troops led by Major General Earl Van Dorn were repelled by approximately 250 Federal troops posted at Davis Mill on December 21, 1862.

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District 3 .....Charlie A. Walls .....4698 Hwy. 4 W., Holly Springs 38635
District 4 .....Sue Poff .....11648 Hwy. 5, Ashland 38603
District 5 .....Billie F. Courson .....5876 Hwy. 5, Hickory Flat 38633

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District 5
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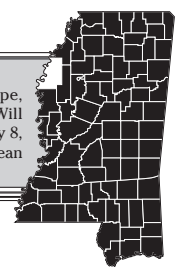
Tax Collector
Betty Hobson .....P.O. Box 337, Ashland 38603 .....(662) 224-6315/(f) (662) 224-6303

BOLIVAR COUNTY

County Seats: Cleveland and Rosedale
Named for Simon Bolivar,
South American hero
Formed: 1836
Area: 905.7 square miles
Population: 40,633

The Marshall Plan
A plan for relief of postwar Europe, suggested by Mississippi native Will Clayton, was first announced here May 8, 1947, by Under Secretary of State Dean Acheson of the Delta Council.



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District 3 .....Harry Bradfield .....808 George St., Mound Bayou 38762
District 4 .....Nate Brown .....P.O. Drawer 1040, Cleveland 38732
District 5 .....Victor Baioni .....19 Baioni Rd., Shaw 38773

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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Second Judicial
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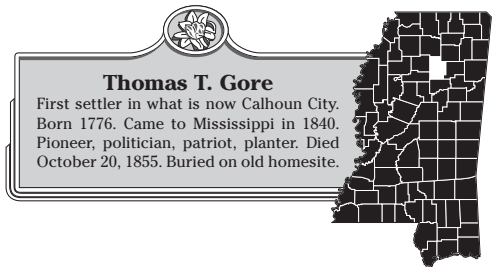
CALHOUN COUNTY

County Seat: Pittsboro
Named for John C. Calhoun,
Vice President of the United States
Formed: 1852
Area: 587.8 square miles
Population: 15,069


Thomas T. Gore
First settler in what is now Calhoun City.
Born 1776. Came to Mississippi in 1840.
Pioneer, politician, patriot, planter. Died
October 20, 1855. Buried on old homesite.

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Circuit Clerk
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Post 2
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 2 .....Jerry Brasher .....51 CR 151, Bruce 38915
District 3 .....Faye Morris .....768 Hwy. 32 W., Water Valley 38965
District 4 .....Phillip Lucius .....P.O. Box 42, Derma 38839
District 5 .....Robert Easley .....31 CR 462, Calhoun City 38916

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Post 2
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Sheriff
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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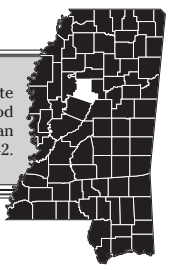
Tax Collector
Bill Malone .....P.O. Box 6, Pittsboro 38951 .....(662) 412-3140/(f) (662) 412-3143

CARROLL COUNTY

County Seats: Carrollton and Vaiden
Named for Charles Carroll, a signer of the Declaration of Independence
Formed: 1833
Area: 634.3 square miles
Population: 10,769

Malmaison
Northwest 9 miles of Carrollton is the site of the plantation mansion of Greenwood Leflore, chief of the Choctaws, statesman and planter. The home burned in 1942. His grave is near the site.



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Southern District
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 3 .....Christine Adams .....Rt. 1 Box 134, Greenwood 38930
District 4 .....David Burkhead .....P.O. Box 297, Carrollton 38917
District 5 .....Shirley B. Yates .....Rt. 2 Box 54, Vaiden 39176

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Second Judicial
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Second Judicial
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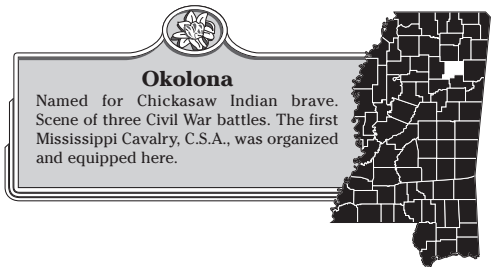
CHICKASAW COUNTY

County Seats: Houston and Okolona
Named for Chickasaw Indians
(word means "rebellion")
Formed: 1836
Area: 504.2 square miles
Population: 19,440


Okolona
Named for Chickasaw Indian brave. Scene of three Civil War battles. The first Mississippi Cavalry, C.S.A., was organized and equipped here.

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Second Judicial
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Circuit Clerk
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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Constables
District 1
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District 2
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Coroner
Robert A. Harmon . . . . . .130 CR 200, Houston 38851 . . . . . .(662) 447-2864

County Administrator
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 2 . . . . . .Judy Hill . . . . . .1095 Hwy. 341, Woodland 39776
District 3 . . . . . .Imogene Armstrong . . . . . .314 E. Washington Ave., Okolona 38860
District 4 . . . . . .Conway Huffman . . . . . .872 Hwy. 32 Ext., Houston 38851
District 5 . . . . . .Penney C. Nichols . . . . . .502 Country Club Rd., Houston 38851

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Post 2
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Justice Court Judges
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Post 2
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Sheriffs
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Superintendent of Education
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District 4
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District 5
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Second Judicial
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Tax Collectors
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Second Judicial
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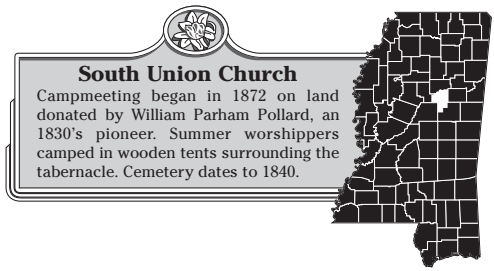
CHOCTAW COUNTY

County Seat: Ackerman
Named for Choctaw Indians
(word means "separation")
Formed: 1833
Area: 419.7 square miles
Population: 9,758


South Union Church
Campmeeting began in 1872 on land donated by William Parham Pollard, an 1830's pioneer. Summer worshippers camped in wooden tents surrounding the tabernacle. Cemetery dates to 1840.

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Post 2
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District 1 .....Charlie Hunt, Jr. .....Rt. 2 Box 50C, Ackerman 39735
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District 3 .....Dorothy Anderson .....Rt. 1 Box 97A, French Camp 39735
District 4 .....Lewis Wright .....Rt. 2 Box 43C, McCool 39108
District 5 .....Oudia Loper .....P.O. Box 303, Ackerman 39735

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District 5
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Tax Collector
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CLAIBORNE COUNTY

County Seat: Port Gibson
Named for William C.C. Claiborne, Governor of Mississippi Territory
Formed: 1817
Area: 501.4 square miles
Population: 11,831

Alcorn A & M College
Established May 13, 1871, as Alcorn University of Mississippi on site of Oakland College. Hiram Revels, first president. Reorganized 1878 as Alcorn A&M. Oldest land-grant college for Negroes in U.S.

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Circuit Clerk
Sammie Lee Good .....P.O. Box 549, Port Gibson 39150 .....(601) 437-5841/(f) (601) 437-4543

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West District
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District 2 .....James Gray .....P.O. Box 105, Port Gibson 39150
District 3 .....Gary M. Knight .....116 Willow Ln., Port Gibson 39150
District 4 .....Corlean Hughes .....P.O. Box 161, Hermanville 39086
District 5 .....Coney L. Johnson .....5088 Hwy. 547, Port Gibson 39150

Justice Court Judges
Eastern
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Western
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Superintendent of Education
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District 2
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District 3
Mott R. Headley .....P.O. Box 339, Port Gibson 39150 .....(601) 437-4994/(f) (601) 437-4430

District 4
Martha Banks Lott .....P.O. Box 339, Port Gibson 39150 .....(601) 437-4994/(f) (601) 437-4430

District 5
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Tax Collector
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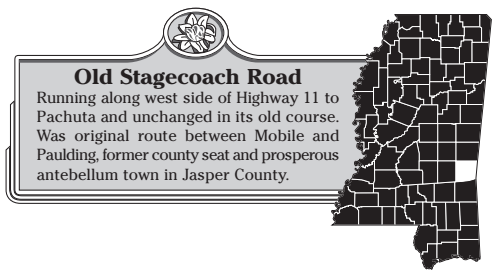
CLARKE COUNTY

County Seat: Quitman
Named for Judge Joshua Clarke,
first Chancellor of the State of Mississippi
Formed: 1833
Area: 693.4 square miles
Population: 17,955


Old Stagecoach Road
Running along west side of Highway 11 to Pachuta and unchanged in its old course. Was original route between Mobile and Paulding, former county seat and prosperous antebellum town in Jasper County.

Board Attorney
Gilford Dabbs III .....P.O. Box 47, Quitman 39355 .....(601) 776-5225/(f) (601) 776-5226

Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
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Constables
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Place 2
Donald Campbell . . . . . .P.O.Box 604, Quitman 39355 . . . . . .(601) 776-5371/(f) (601) 776-1014

Coroner
L.G. (Butch) Wright, Jr. . . .1492 CR 660, Quitman 39355 . . . . . .(601) 776-2103/(f) (601) 776-2104

County Prosecuting Attorney
George C. Williams . . . . .P.O. Box 63, Quitman 39355 . . . . . .(601) 776-2111/(f) (601) 776-2112

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Dora McKenzie . . . . . .414 CR 150, Quitman 39355
District 2 . . . . . .Viola Davis . . . . . .117 CR 2671, Shubuta 39360
District 3 . . . . . .Audrey H. Barton . . . . . .P.O. Box 83, Stonewall 39363
District 4 . . . . . .Donald Goodman . . . . . .10359 CR 514, Meridian 39301
District 5 . . . . . .Juanita (Pat) Hayes . . . . . .102 Kathy Ave., Quitman 39355

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judges
Place 1
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Place 2
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District 2
Cleveland Peebles . . . . . .P.O. Box 616, Quitman 39355 . . . . . .(601) 776-5873/(f) (601) 776-1013

District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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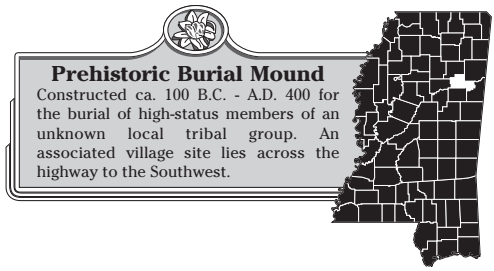
CLAY COUNTY

County Seat: West Point
Named for Henry Clay, the Kentucky statesman
Formed: 1871 as Colfax County;
name changed to Clay in 1876
Area: 416 square miles
Population: 21,979


Prehistoric Burial Mound
Constructed ca. 100 B.C. - A.D. 400 for the burial of high-status members of an unknown local tribal group. An associated village site lies across the highway to the Southwest.

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Constables
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District 2
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Linda Ivy .....933 Carver St., West Point 39773
District 2 .....Martin Miller .....3976 Melton Bottom Rd., West Point 39773
District 3 .....Dot Tribble .....737 Hillcrest Rd., West Point 39773
District 4 .....Wendy Fuller .....15749 Lesburns Rd., Prairie 39756
District 5 .....Jesse J. Ivy .....21866 Billy White Rd., Pheba 39755

Justice Court Clerk
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District 2
Joe M. Taggart .....P.O. Box 674, West Point 39773 .....(662) 494-6140/(f) (662) 494-4034

Sheriff
Laddie Huffman .....P.O. Box 142, West Point 39773 .....(662) 494-5152/(f) (662) 494-4034

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Tax Collector
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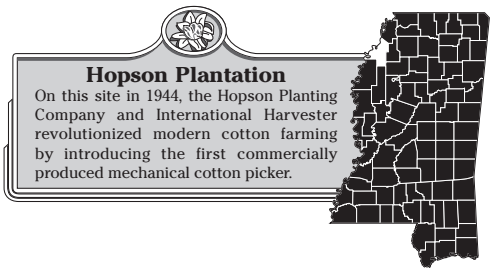
COAHOMA COUNTY

County Seat: Clarksdale
Named for Indian word meaning "red panther"
Formed: 1836
Area: 583 square miles
Population: 30,622


Hopson Plantation
On this site in 1944, the Hopson Planting Company and International Harvester revolutionized modern cotton farming by introducing the first commercially produced mechanical cotton picker.

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Circuit Clerk
Charles A. Oakes .....P.O. Drawer 849, Clarksdale 38614-0849 ....(662) 624-3014/(f) (662) 624-3075

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South
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Coroner
Scotty Meredith .....P.O. Box 717, Clarksdale 38614 .....(662) 624-2236

County Court Judge
Thomas W. Allen .....P.O. Box 756, Clarksdale 38614 .....(662) 624-3046

County Prosecuting Attorney
C. Kent Haney .....P.O. Box 206, Clarksdale 38614 .....(662) 627-5501

County Surveyor
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District 2 .....Sherry J. Ely .....750 Oakhurst Ave., Clarksdale 38614
District 3 .....Alma C. Brown .....322 Bellview Rd., Clarksdale 38614
District 4 .....Joseph J. Hardy .....1756 Sycamore St., Clarksdale 38614
District 5 .....Herman Furniss .....P.O. Box 147, Rena Lara 38767

Justice Court Clerk
Darlene Lake .....144 Ritch St., Clarksdale 38614 .....(662) 624-3060

Justice Court Judges
North
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South
Jesse Burton .....144 Ritch St., Clarksdale 38614 .....(662) 624-3060

Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
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District 3
Timothy Burrel . . . . . .305 Edgar Ave., Clarksdale 38614 . . . . . .(662) 624-4044/(f) (662) 624-3029

District 4
Johnny Newson . . . . . .433 Andrews St., Clarksdale 38614 . . . . . .(662) 627-9155/(f) (662) 624-3029

District 5
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Tax Assessor
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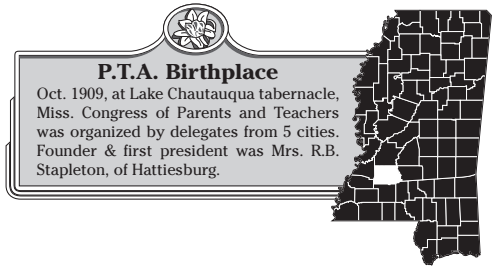
Tax Collector
Judy G. Noland . . . . . .P.O. Box 219, Clarksdale 38614 . . . . . .(662) 624-3020/(f) (662) 624-3075

COPIAH COUNTY

County Seat: Hazlehurst
Named for Indian word meaning "calling panther"
Formed: 1823
Area: 779.2 square miles
Population: 28,757


P.T.A. Birthplace
Oct. 1909, at Lake Chautauqua tabernacle, Miss. Congress of Parents and Teachers was organized by delegates from 5 cities. Founder & first president was Mrs. R.B. Stapleton, of Hattiesburg.

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Jim Shannon . . . . . .100 W. Gallatin, Hazlehurst 39083 . . . . . .(601) 894-2202/(f) (601) 894-5033

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Post 2
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District 2 . . . . . .Maudell A. Weeks . . . . . .P.O. Box 223, Wesson 39191
District 3 . . . . . .Bradd Smith . . . . . .1047 Warren Hood Rd., Hemanville 39086
District 4 . . . . . .Augustus Jones . . . . . .438 S. Bradley St., Crystal Springs 39059
District 5 . . . . . .Kitty Lingle Jackson . . . . . .2086 Lee Ave., Crystal Springs 39059

Justice Court Clerk
Carolyn Morgan .....121 W. Frost St., Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-3218/(f) (601) 894-6038

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Lillie V. McKenzie .....121 W. Frost St., Hazelhurst 39083 .....(601) 894-3218/(f) (601) 894-6038

Post 2
Vickie Bass Ramsey .....121 W. Frost St., Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-3218/(f) (601) 894-6038

Sheriff
Harold L. Jones, Jr. .....P.O. Box 547, Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-3011/(f) (601) 892-2133

Superintendent of Education
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District 2
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District 3
Perry Hood .....P.O. Box 551, Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-1858/(f) (601) 894-3026

District 4
Manuel Welch .....P.O. Box 551, Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-1858/(f) (601) 894-3026

District 5
Jimmy Phillips .....P.O. Box 551, Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-1858/(f) (601) 894-3026

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Todd Mooney .....P.O. Box 705, Hazlehurst 39083 .....(601) 894-2721/(f) (601) 894-3026

Tax Collector
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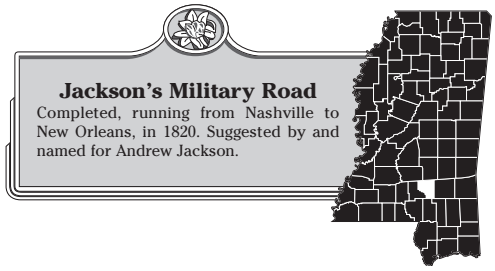
COVINGTON COUNTY

County Seat: Collins
Named for General Leonard Covington, killed in War of 1812
Formed: 1819
Area: 414.8 square miles
Population: 19,407


Jackson's Military Road
Completed, running from Nashville to New Orleans, in 1820. Suggested by and named for Andrew Jackson.

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Keith Earl Collins .....P.O. Box 667, Collins 39428 .....(601) 765-6506/(f) (601) 765-5012

Constables
Northern District
Joe Ponder .....P.O. Box 665, Collins 39428 .....(601) 765-6581/(f) (601) 765-5014

Southern District
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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County Surveyor
Vacant

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District 2 . . . . . .Felton Aultman . . . . . .1124 Oakdale Church Rd., Seminary 39479
District 3 . . . . . .Sue McCall . . . . . .253 Hwy. 84 E., Collins 39428
District 4 . . . . . .Jill Miller . . . . . .10 Miller Hill, Mount Olive 39119
District 5 . . . . . .Dorothy Magee . . . . . .242 Lilly Valley Church Rd., Collins 39119

Justice Court Clerk
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Southern District
John Laz Sanford . . . . . .P.O. Box 665, Collins 39428 . . . . . .(601) 765-6581/(f) (601) 765-5014

Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
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District 2
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District 3
Jimmy D. White . . . . . .P.O. Box 1679, Collins 39428 . . . . . .(601) 765-8605/(f) (601) 765-5016

District 4
Henry Batte . . . . . .P.O. Box 1679, Collins 39428 . . . . . .(601) 765-8605/(f) (601) 765-5016

District 5
Arthur L. Keys . . . . . .P.O. Box 1679, Collins 39428 . . . . . .(601) 765-8605/(f) (601) 765-5016

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Tax Collector
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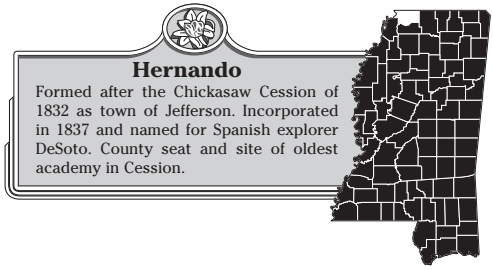
DESOTO COUNTY

County Seat: Hernando
Named for Hernando DeSoto, discoverer of the Mississippi River
Formed: 1836
Area: 496.6 square miles
Population: 107,199


Hernando
Formed after the Chickasaw Cession of 1832 as town of Jefferson. Incorporated in 1837 and named for Spanish explorer DeSoto. County seat and site of oldest academy in Cession.

Board Attorney
Tony Nowak . . . . . .170 W. Center St., Hernando 38632 . . . . . .(662) 429-7888/(f) (662) 429-0817

Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
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Constables
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District 2
Joe Holmes . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

District 3
Lee Hodge . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

District 4
Chris A. Sing . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

Coroner
Jeffrey Pounders . . . . . .4942 Pounders Rd., Nesbit 38651 . . . . . .(662) 429-9029/(f) (662) 429-1311

County Court Judge
Mills E. Barbee . . . . . .2535 Hwy. 51 S., Rm. 2, Hernando 38632 . . .(662) 429-1323/(f) (662) 429-4194

County Prosecuting Attorney
Craig Treadway . . . . . .P.O. Box 681, Olive Branch 38654 . . . . . .(662) 895-8170

County Surveyor
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Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Paul M. Beale . . . . . .10099 Bethel Rd., Olive Branch 38654
District 2 . . . . . .Barry Chatham . . . . . .P.O. Box 898, Southaven 38671
District 3 . . . . . .Danny N. Klein . . . . . .6986 Allen Dr., Horn Lake 38637
District 4 . . . . . .Carl W. Payne . . . . . .1283 Willard Dr., Southaven 38671
District 5 . . . . . .Tina T. Hill . . . . . .960 Ross Rd., Olive Branch 38654

Justice Court Clerk
Linda Aldridge . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Kenneth Adams . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 429-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

District 2
William H. Lantrip . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

District 3
Karen Sanders . . . . . .8525 Hwy. 51 N., Southaven 38671 . . . . . .(662) 393-5810/(f) (662) 393-5859

District 4
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Sheriff
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District 2
Gene Thach . . . . . .365 Losher St., Hernando 38632 . . . . . .(662) 429-5590/(f) (662) 429-1422

District 3
Bill Russell . . . . . .365 Losher St., Hernando 38632 . . . . . .(662) 429-5590/(f) (662) 449-1422

District 4
Allen B. Latimer . . . . . .365 Losher St., Hernando 38632 . . . . . .(662) 429-5590/(f) (662) 449-1422

District 5
Tommy Lewis .....365 Losher St., Hernando 38632 .....(662) 429-5590/(f) (662) 449-1422

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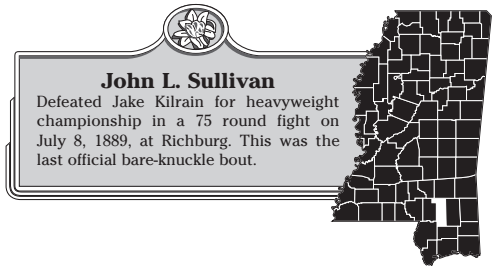
Parker Pickle .....365 Losher St., Ste. 100, Hernando 38632 ...(662) 429-1335/(f) (662) 429-5598

Tax Collector
Joey Treadway .....365 Losher St., Hernando 38632 .....(662) 429-1340/(f) (662) 429-1363

Forrest County

County Seat: Hattiesburg
Named for General Nathan Bedford Forrest, Confederate cavalry leader
Formed: 1908
Area: 470 square miles
Population: 72,604


John L. Sullivan
Defeated Jake Kilrain for heavyweight championship in a 75 round fight on July 8, 1889, at Richburg. This was the last official bare-knuckle bout.

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Jeffrey Hollimon .....P.O. Box 1310, Hattiesburg 39403-1310 .....(601) 545-6007/(f) (601) 545-6050

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District 2
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District 3
T.L. (Yonnie) Jordan ....316 Forrest St., Hattiesburg 39401 .....(601) 544-3136/(f) (601) 545-6114

District 4
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District 2 .....Barbara Johnson .....297 Mary Magdalene Rd., Hattiesburg 39401
District 3 .....Randye Johnson .....14 Williamsburg Rd., Petal 39465
District 4 .....Bessie Lee Barnes .....927 Spencer Ave., Hattiesburg 39401
District 5 .....Sue Polk .....1209 N. 32nd Ave., Hattiesburg 39401

Justice Court Clerk
Sharon Sims .....316 Forrest St., Hattiesburg 39401 .....(601) 544-3136/(f) (601) 545-6114

Justice Court Judges
District 1
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
Robert Davis .....316 Forrest St., Hattiesburg 39401 .....(601) 544-3136/(f) (601) 545-6114

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Superintendent of Education
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District 2
Charles E. Marshall .....P.O. Box 1310, Hattiesburg 39403-1310 .....(601) 545-6000/(f) (601) 545-6095

District 3
Lynn Cartlidge .....P.O. Box 1310, Hattiesburg 39403-1310 .....(601) 545-6000/(f) (601) 545-6995

District 4
Rod Woullard .....P.O. Box 1310, Hattiesburg 39403-1310 .....(601) 545-6000/(f) (601) 545-6095

District 5
Billy Hudson, Sr. .....P.O. Box 1310, Hattiesburg 39403-1310 .....(601) 545-6000/(f) (601) 545-6095

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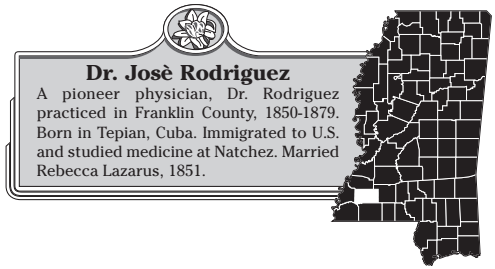
Tax Collector
Delbert Dearman .....P.O. Box 1689, Hattiesburg 39403 .....(601) 582-8228/(f) (601) 545-6093

FRANKLIN COUNTY

County Seat: Meadville
Named for Benjamin Franklin,
colonial statesman and philosopher
Formed: 1817
Area: 566.7 square miles
Population: 8,448


Dr. Josè Rodriguez
A pioneer physician, Dr. Rodriguez practiced in Franklin County, 1850-1879. Born in Tepian, Cuba. Immigrated to U.S. and studied medicine at Natchez. Married Rebecca Lazarus, 1851.

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Jimmy W. Jones .....P.O. Box 297, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2330/(f) (601) 384-5864

Circuit Clerk
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District 2
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Coroner
Percy J. Peeler .....P.O. Box 170, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2963

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District 3 .....Ricky V. O'Quinn .....P.O. Box 489, Bude 39360
District 4 .....Billy P. Cupit .....191 Shucktown Rd. NE, McCall Creek 39647
District 5 .....Bonnie H. Byrd .....71 Berrytown Cir. NE, Meadville 39653

Justice Court Clerk
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District 2
Jerry Crane .....P.O. Box 365, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2002/(f) (601) 384-2001

Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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District 2
Chad Smith .....P.O. Box 297, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2330/(f) (601) 384-5864
District 3
George Collins .....P.O. Box 297, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2330/(f) (601) 384-5864
District 4
Robert L. Posey .....P.O. Box 297, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2330/(f) (601) 384-5864
District 5
M.L. Ezell .....P.O. Box 297, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2330/(f) (601) 384-5864

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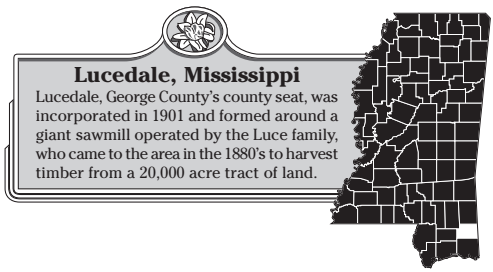
Tax Collector
T.J. (Jeff) Mullins IV .....P.O. Box 456, Meadville 39653 .....(601) 384-2359/(f) (601) 384-3040

GEORGE COUNTY

County Seat: Lucedale
Named for Senator J.Z. George, lawyer, jurist, and statesman
Formed: 1910
Area: 483.6 square miles
Population: 19,144


Lucedale, Mississippi
Lucedale, George County's county seat, was incorporated in 1901 and formed around a giant sawmill operated by the Luce family, who came to the area in the 1880's to harvest timber from a 20,000 acre tract of land.

Board Attorney
Robert P. Shepard .....922 Manila St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7575

Chancery Clerk
Cammie Brannan Byrd ..355 Cox St., Ste. A, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4801/(f) (601) 947-1300

Circuit Clerk
James C. Cochran .....355 Cox St., Ste. C, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4881/(f) (601) 947-8804

Constables
District 1
Glen (Jackie) Rogers ....7208 Hwy. 57 S., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 945-5003

District 2
Glenn Harvision .....158 Old Mobile Hwy., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-2950

Coroner
Jimmie C. Green .....P.O. Box 676, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-2844

County Prosecuting Attorney
Mark Maples .....362 Summer St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-2161/(f) (601) 947-2931

County Surveyor
Gerald Moody, Sr. .....P.O. Box 1543, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-8283/(f) (601) 947-4499

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Teresa H. Bufkin .....210 Shipman-Firetower Rd, Lucedale 39452
District 2 .....Irvin (Sonny) Holland .....133 Windmill Ln., Lucedale 39452
District 3 .....Mary Ruth Davis .....7121A River Rd., Lucedale 39452
District 4 .....Arlie Ray Woodard .....184 Cochran Town Rd., Lucedale 39452
District 5 .....Dorothy Howell .....146 Goff Dixon Rd., Lucedale 39452

Justice Court Clerk
Shawn Strahan .....356-A Cox St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4834/(f) (601) 947-1911

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Connie Glenn Wilkerson 356-A Cox St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4834/(f) (601) 947-1911

District 2
M.L. Goff .....356-A Cox St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4834/(f) (601) 947-1911

Sheriff
Garry M. Weford .....355 Cox St., Ste. B, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-4811/(f) (601) 947-0233

Superintendent of Education
Donnie Howell .....5152 Main St., Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-6993/(f) (601) 947-8805

Supervisors
District 1
Lit Eubanks .....355 Cox St., Ste. D, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7506/(f) (601) 947-8804

District 2
Kelly W. Wright .....355 Cox St., Ste. D, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7506/(f) (601) 947-8804

District 3
Orville H. Cochran .....355 Cox St., Ste. D, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7506/(f) (601) 947-8804

District 4
Larry Havard .....355 Cox St., Ste. D, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7506/(f) (601) 947-8804

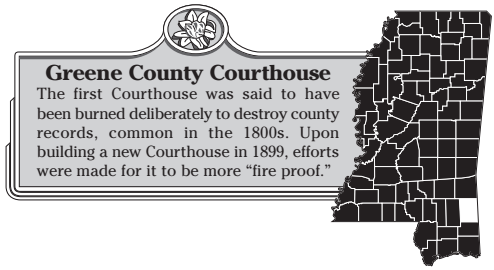
District 5
William Henry Cochran .355 Cox St., Ste. D, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7506/(f) (601) 947-8804

Tax Assessor
Wilburn L. Bolen .....5130 Main St., Ste. B, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7541/(f) (601) 947-6597

Tax Collector
Wilburn L. Bolen .....5130 Main St., Ste. B, Lucedale 39452 .....(601) 947-7541/(f) (601) 947-6597

GREENE COUNTY

County Seat: Leakesville
Named for General Nathaniel Greene, Revolutionary War hero
Formed: 1817
Area: 718.7 square miles
Population: 13,299


Greene County Courthouse
The first Courthouse was said to have been burned deliberately to destroy county records, common in the 1800s. Upon building a new Courthouse in 1899, efforts were made for it to be more "fire proof."

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Vacant

Circuit Clerk
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Post 2
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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County Surveyor
Billy Brewer . . . . . .P.O. Box 310, Leakesville 39451 . . . . . .(601) 394-2364

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Margaret Sowell . . . . . .30751 Hwy. 57, Leakesville 39451
District 2 . . . . . .Walter Shumac . . . . . .76 Shumac Dr., State Line 39362
District 3 . . . . . .Phyllis W. Stinson . . . . . .P.O. Box 1386, Richton 39476-1386
District 4 . . . . . .John (Wayne) Barrow, Sr. . . . . .1315 Winborn Chapel Rd., Lucedale 39452
District 5 . . . . . .James Breland . . . . . .P.O. Box 244, Neely 39461

Justice Court Clerk
Rita Walley . . . . . .P.O. Box 547, Leakesville 39451 . . . . . .(601) 394-2347/(f) (601) 394-2114

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
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Post 2
L. Joe Beard . . . . . .P.O. Box 547, Leakesville 39451 . . . . . .(601) 394-2347/(f) (601) 394-2114

Sheriff
Stanley McLeod . . . . . .P.O. Box 547, Leakesville 39451 . . . . . .(601) 394-2341/(f) (601) 394-5939

Superintendent of Education
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District 1
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District 2
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District 3
Earnest Holder . . . . . .P.O. Box 460, Leakesville 39451 . . . . . .(601) 394-2394/(f) (601) 394-4650

District 4
L.F. Lambert .....P.O. Box 460, Leakesville 39451 .....(601) 394-2394/(f) (601) 394-4650

District 5
Marion Pierce .....P.O. Box 460, Leakesville 39451 .....(601) 394-2394/(f) (601) 394-4650

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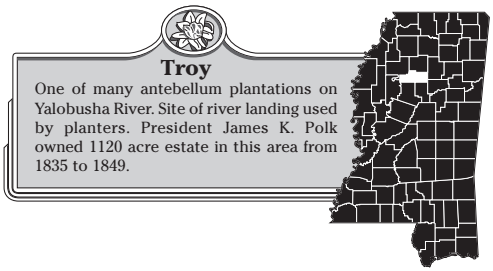
Tax Collector
Debra M. Helton .....P.O. Box 477, Leakesville 39451 .....(601) 394-2378/(f) (601) 394-6119

GRENADA COUNTY

County Seat: Grenada
Named for city of Grenada, Spain
Formed: 1870
Area: 449.2 square miles
Population: 23,263


Troy
One of many antebellum plantations on Yalobusha River. Site of river landing used by planters. President James K. Polk owned 1120 acre estate in this area from 1835 to 1849.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Powell Vance .....P.O. Box 1208, Grenada 38902-1208 .....(662) 226-1821/(f) (662) 227-2860

Circuit Clerk
Linda M. Barnette .....P.O. Box 1517, Grenada 38902-1517 .....(662) 226-1941/(f) (662) 227-2865

Constables
District 1
Alex Farmer .....16 First St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 226-3331/(f) (662) 227-5513

District 2
Jimmy Malone .....16 First St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 226-3331/(f) (662) 227-5513

Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Florence Ratliff .....750 Hickory Dr., Grenada 38901
District 2 .....Angelena T. Hudson .....1033 S. Mound St., Grenada 38901
District 3 .....Bernice Richardson .....147 Tallohoma Cir., Grenada 38901
District 4 .....Nellie Ward .....116 Coats Rd., Grenada 38901
District 5 .....Carolyn Kilgore .....P.O. Box 14, Holcomb 38940

Justice Court Clerk
Brenda Mullen .....16 First St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 226-3331/(f) (662) 227-5513

Justice Court Judges
East District
Leon Williamson .....16 First St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 226-3331/(f) (662) 227-5513

West District
Jimmy Tallant .....16 First St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 226-3331/(f) (662) 227-5513

Sheriff
Alton Strider .....35 Doak St., Grenada 38901 .....(662) 227-2877/(f) (662) 227-2872

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Supervisors
District 1
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District 2
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District 3
C. Columbus Hankins ..P.O. Box 1208, Grenada 38902 .....(662) 226-2033/(f) (662) 227-2751
District 4
Cecil Shelton .....P.O. Box 1208, Grenada 38902 .....(662) 226-9701/(f) (662) 226-9705
District 5
Chad P. Gray .....P.O. Box 1208, Grenada 38902 .....(662) 226-8226/(f) (662) 227-2860

Tax Assessor
David Melton .....P.O. Box 1488, Grenada 38902-1488 .....(662) 226-1741/(f) (662) 226-3701

Tax Collector
David Melton .....P.O. Box 1488, Grenada 38902-1488 .....(662) 226-1741/(f) (662) 226-3701

HANCOCK COUNTY

County Seat: Bay St. Louis
Named for John Hancock, first signer of the Declaration of Independence
Formed: 1817
Area: 552.4 square miles
Population: 42,967

Navy Battle of Bay St. Louis
On Dec. 14, 1814, five U.S. gunboats fired on a British fleet entering Lake Borgne. Their action was the last naval defense of the U.S. before the victory at New Orleans.

Board Attorney
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Pamela T. Metzler .....P.O. Box 249, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5265/(f) (228) 467-2779

Constables
Place 1
Terry Necaise .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126
Place 2
Ernest Talor .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126
Place 3
Eric Moran, Sr. .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126

Coroner
Norma C. Stiglet .....117 Demontluzin, # 27, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5478

County Prosecuting Attorney
Olen Anderson .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39521 .....(228) 463-9090

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Lem McCoy .....421 N. Beach Blvd., Waveland 39576
District 2 .....Wayne Spiers .....9020 Harbour Dr., Bay St. Louis 39520
District 3 .....Gary T. Gilmore .....8828 Kipapa Way, Diamondhead 39525
District 4 .....Caroline M. Adam .....308 St. John St., Bay St. Louis 39520
District 5 .....Lynn R. Cheramie .....834 Kui Pl., Diamondhead 39525

Justice Court Clerk
Elizabeth Martin .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126

Justice Court Judges
Place 1
Ricky Adam, Sr. .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126

Place 2
Jay Lagasse III .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126

Place 3
Tommy Carver, Sr. .....306 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5573/(f) (228) 467-3126

Sheriff
Steve Garber .....122 ½ Court St., Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-5101/(f) (228) 466-4362

Superintendent of Education
David Kopf .....17304 Hwy. 603, Kiln 39556 .....(228) 255-0376/(f) (228) 255-0378

Supervisors
District 1
David Yarborough .....P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-0172/(f) (228) 466-5994

District 2
Rodrick Pullman .....P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-0172/(f) (228) 466-5994

District 3
Lisa Cowand .....P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-0172/(f) (228) 466-5994

District 4
Steve Seymour .....P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-0172/(f) (228) 466-5994

District 5
Jay Cuevas .....P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis 39520 .....(228) 467-0130/(f) (228) 466-5994

Tax Assessor
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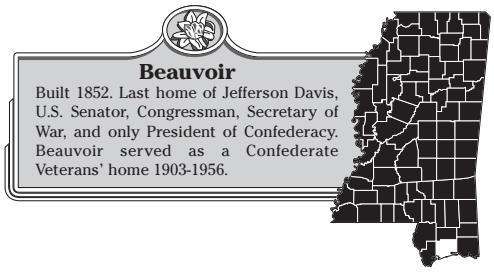
Tax Collector
Jimmie Ladner, Jr. .....P.O. Box 2428, Bay St. Louis 39521 .....(228) 467-4425/(f) (228) 466-6239

HARRISON COUNTY

County Seats: Gulfport and Biloxi
Named for William Henry Harrison, ninth President of the United States
Formed: 1841
Area: 975.9 square miles
Population: 189,601


Beauvoir
Built 1852. Last home of Jefferson Davis, U.S. Senator, Congressman, Secretary of War, and only President of Confederacy. Beauvoir served as a Confederate Veterans' home 1903-1956.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerks
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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Circuit Clerks
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
Gayle Parker .....P.O. Box 235, Biloxi 39533 .....(228) 435-8233/(f) (228) 435-8270

Constables
District 1
W.S. (Windy) Swetman . . 190 Lameuse, Biloxi 39530 . . . . . (228) 435-8256/(f) (228) 435-8279

District 2
Paul Johnson . . . . . 1620 23rd Ave., Gulfport 39501 . . . . . (228) 865-4278/(f) (228) 865-4216

District 3
W.L. (Billy) Phelps . . . . . 1620 23rd Ave., Gulfport 39501 . . . . . (228) 865-4278/(f) (228) 865-4216

District 4
Joshua Spann . . . . . 1620 23rd Ave., Gulfport 39501 . . . . . (228) 865-4278/(f) (228) 865-4216

District 5
Virgil Sherrell . . . . . 190 Lameuse St., Biloxi 39530 . . . . . (228) 435-8289/(f) (228) 435-8279

Coroner
Gary Hargrove . . . . . P.O. Box 4036, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 865-4290/(f) (228) 868-1461

County Court Judges
Place 1
Gaston H. Hewes, Jr. . . . . P.O. Box 973, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 435-8294/(f) (228) 435-8294

Place 2
Robin Alfred Midcalf . . . P.O. Box 1889, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 435-8294/(f) (228) 865-4485

Place 3
Michael H. Ward . . . . . P.O. Box 7017, Gulfport 39506-7017 . . . . . (228) 435-8294/(f) (228) 435-8294

County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . Toni Jo Diaz . . . . . 108 Myrtle St., Biloxi 39530
District 2 . . . . . Phyllis Sisson . . . . . 42 Cambridge Ave., Gulfport 39507
District 3 . . . . . Lisa Collums . . . . . 707 Mills Ave., Gulfport 39501
District 4 . . . . . Aurabelle M. Caggins . . . . . P.O. Box 915, Gulfport 39502
District 5 . . . . . Tommy Esposito, Sr. . . . . 2264 Sunkist Country Club Rd., Biloxi 39532

Justice Court Clerk
Greg Illich . . . . . P.O. Box 1754, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 865-4213/(f) (228) 865-4216

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Albert Fountain . . . . . P.O. Box 1141, Biloxi 39533 . . . . . (228) 435-8254/(f) (228) 435-8279

District 2
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District 3
Louise D. Ladner . . . . . P.O. Box 1754, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 865-4218/(f) (228) 865-4216

District 4
Melvin J. Ray . . . . . P.O. Box 1754, Gulfport 39502 . . . . . (228) 865-4215/(f) (228) 865-4216

District 5
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Sheriffs
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Second Judicial
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Supervisors
District 1
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District 2
Larry Benefield .....P.O. Drawer CC, Gulfport 39502 .....(228) 865-4122/(f) (228) 865-4206
District 3
Marlin Ladner .....P.O. Drawer CC, Gulfport 39502 .....(228) 867-6528/(f) (228) 865-4162
District 4
William Martin .....P.O. Drawer CC, Gulfport 39502 .....(228) 865-4204/(f) (228) 867-6551
District 5
Connie Rockco .....P.O. Drawer CC, Gulfport 39502 .....(228) 865-4201/(f) (228) 214-1412

Tax Assessors
First Judicial
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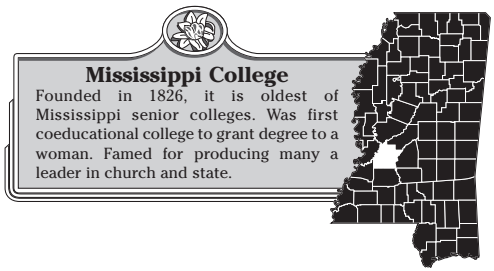
Second Judicial
Tal Flurry .....P.O. Box 99, Biloxi 39533 .....(228) 435-8266/(f) (228) 435-8267

Tax Collectors
First Judicial
David LaRosa .....P.O. Box 1270, Gulfport 39502 .....(228) 865-4039/(f) (228) 865-4180
Second Judicial
David LaRosa .....P.O. Box 448, Biloxi 39533 .....(228) 435-8241/(f) (228) 435-8295

HINDS COUNTY

County Seats: Jackson and Raymond
Named for General Thomas Hinds, hero of the Battle of New Orleans
Formed: 1821
Area: 877.1 square miles
Population: 250,800


Mississippi College
Founded in 1826, it is oldest of Mississippi senior colleges. Was first coeducational college to grant degree to a woman. Famed for producing many a leader in church and state.

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Second Judicial
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Second Judicial
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District 2
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District 3
Ruben Issac .....P.O. Box 3490, Jackson 39207 .....(601) 965-8800/(f) (601) 973-5532

District 4
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District 5
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Coroner
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County Court Judges
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Subdistrict 2
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Subdistrict 3
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Marilyn Avery .....5907 Baxter Dr., Jackson 39211
District 2 .....Josephine Anderson .....1340 Rockdale Dr., Jackson 39213
District 3 .....Jermal Clark .....2939 Oakmont Dr., Jackson 39209
District 4 .....Connie Cochran .....3475 Seven Springs Rd., Raymond 39154
District 5 .....Lelia Gaston Rhodes .....1125 Winter St., Jackson 39204

Justice Court Judges
District 1
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District 2
Ivory E. Britton .....P.O. Box 3490, Jackson 39207 .....(601) 965-8800/(f) (601) 973-5532

District 3
Joseph Lewis .....P.O. Box 3490, Jackson 39207 .....(601) 965-8800/(f) (601) 973-5532

District 4
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District 5
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Sheriffs
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Second Judicial
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District 1
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
Ronnie Chappell .....P.O. Box 686, Jackson 39205 .....(601) 968-6501/(f) (601) 973-5554

District 5
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Second Judicial
Mike Barnes .....P.O. Box 549, Raymond 39154 .....(601) 857-8787/(f) (601) 857-2830

Tax Collectors
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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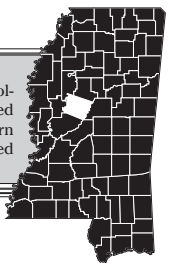
HOLMES COUNTY

County Seat: Lexington
Named for David Holmes,
last Governor of the Mississippi Territory
Formed: 1833
Area: 764 square miles
Population: 21,609

O.E.S. Birthplace
In 1849 Robert Morris, Mason, schoolmaster, began a movement that resulted in creation of the Order of the Eastern Star. The schoolhouse has also housed Masons and Co. C 15th Infantry, C.S.A.



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Chancery Clerk
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District 2 .....Georgia G. Clark .....178 Greer Rd., West 39192
District 3 .....Wilbur B. Redmond .....300 Redmond Ln., Lexington 39095
District 4 .....Walter E. Pitchford .....P.O. Box 151, Lexington 39095
District 5 .....Sam Jesse Horton .....P.O. Box 818, Tchula 39169

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Tax Collector
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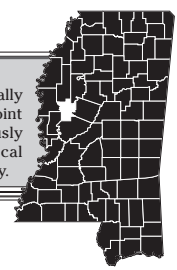
HUMPHREYS COUNTY

County Seat: Belzoni
Named for Benjamin Humphreys,
26th Governor of Mississippi
Formed: 1918
Area: 431.1 square miles
Population: 11,206

Jaketown Site
A significant archaeological site initially settled by people of the Poverty Point culture ca. 1000 B.C. and continuously occupied through all archaeological periods of the Lower Mississippi Valley.



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District 3 . . . . . .Rosemary Williams . . . . . .109 Windsor Ct., Belzoni 39038
District 4 . . . . . .John Ashley . . . . . .Rt. 3 Box 36J, Belzoni 39038
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Tax Collector
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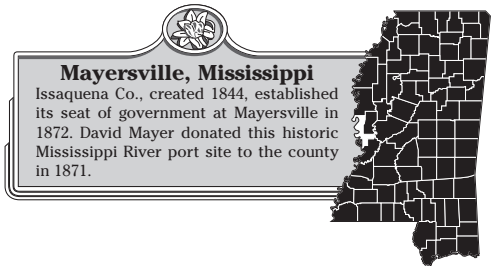
ISSAQUENA COUNTY

County Seat: Mayersville
Named for Indian word meaning "deer river"
Formed: 1844
Area: 441.4 square miles
Population: 2,274


Mayersville, Mississippi
Issaquena Co., created 1844, established its seat of government at Mayersville in 1872. David Mayer donated this historic Mississippi River port site to the county in 1871.

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Post 2
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District 2 .....Matt Sharpe .....485 Connor Rd., Rolling Fork 39159
District 3 .....Larry White .....P.O. Box 51, Mayersville 39113
District 4 .....B.J. (Betty Jo) Nichols .....P.O. Box 334, Glen Allan 38744
District 5 .....Reid E. Monteith .....379 Greenfield Rd., Glen Allan 38744

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Post 2
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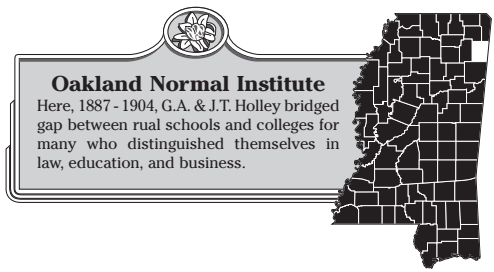
ITAWAMBA COUNTY

County Seat: Fulton
Named for the Indian Chief Itawamba
Formed: 1836
Area: 540.5 square miles
Population: 22,770


Oakland Normal Institute
Here, 1887 - 1904, G.A. & J.T. Holley bridged gap between rual schools and colleges for many who distinguished themselves in law, education, and business.

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District 3 . . . . . .Gene A. Mills . . . . . .1287 Greenwood Church Rd., Fulton 38843
District 4 . . . . . .Lorene Moore . . . . . .1855 Nita Lake Rd., Fulton 38843
District 5 . . . . . .Wayne Beard . . . . . .501 E Bankhead St., Fulton 38843

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JACKSON COUNTY

County Seat: Pascagoula
Named for General Andrew Jackson
Formed: 1812
Area: 1043.3 square miles
Population: 131,420

Pascagoula "Singing River"
River and city named for Pasca Oocooloo (Breadeater) Indians. Legendary music said to be the chant of tribesmen who, facing defeat, marched into the river.

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District 3 . . . . . .Mary Anderson . . . . . .3713 Mercier Dr., Pascagoula 39581-2351
District 4 . . . . . .Benton Sanford . . . . . .15701 Stanley Rd., Ocean Springs 39564
District 5 . . . . . .Joe F. Barlow . . . . . .6403 Robinson Still Rd., Ocean Springs 39565

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Tax Collector
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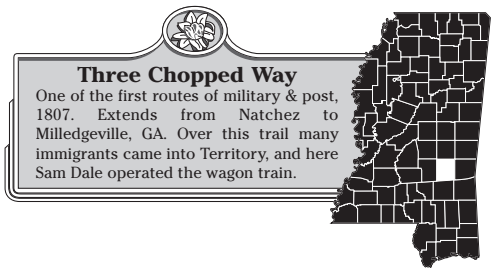
JASPER COUNTY

County Seats: Bay Springs and Paulding
Named for Sergeant Jasper,
hero of the Revolutionary War
Formed: 1833
Area: 677.3 square miles
Population: 18,149


Three Chopped Way
One of the first routes of military & post, 1807. Extends from Natchez to Milledgeville, GA. Over this trail many immigrants came into Territory, and here Sam Dale operated the wagon train.

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District 4 .....Billy Rayner .....166 CR 102, Stringer 39481
District 5 .....Samantha Parker .....416 CR 333, Heidelberg 39439

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District 2
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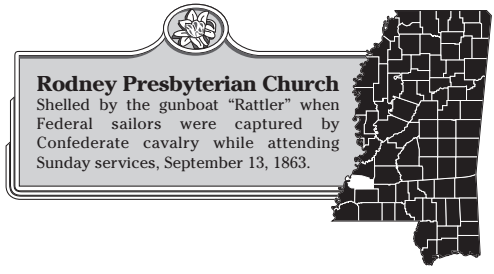
JEFFERSON COUNTY

County Seat: Fayette
Named for Thomas Jefferson
(first called "Pickering")
Formed: 1799
Area: 527.2 square miles
Population: 9,740


Rodney Presbyterian Church
Shelled by the gunboat "Rattler" when Federal sailors were captured by Confederate cavalry while attending Sunday services, September 13, 1863.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Delorise Frye .....P.O. Box 145, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3021/(f) (601) 786-6009

Circuit Clerk
Burnell Harris .....P.O. Box 305, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3422/(f) (601) 786-9676

Constables
Eastern
Maurice Hudson .....P.O. Box 1047, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-8594/(f) (601) 786-6017

Western
Carl Bailey .....P.O. Box 1047, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-8594/(f) (601) 786-6017

Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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County Surveyor
Ron Phillips .....P.O. Box 145, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3021/(f) (601) 786-6009

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Lois Jean Sullivan .....Rt. 1 Box 80A, Union Church 39668
District 2 .....Brenda Tyler Myles .....P.O. Box 913, Fayette 39069
District 3 .....Fannie J. Mims .....P.O. Box 2442, Fayette 39069
District 4 .....David Franklin .....705 Bates Rd., Church Hill 39055
District 5 .....Verdean Washington .....P.O. Box 594, Fayette 39069

Justice Court Clerk
Mary E. Herrington ....P.O. Box 1047, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-8594/(f) (601) 786-6017

Justice Court Judges
District 1
James E. Wells .....P.O. Box 1047, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-8594/(f) (601) 786-6017

District 2
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Sheriff
Peter E. Walker .....P.O. Box 218, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3403/(f) (601) 786-6000

Superintendent of Education
John E. Dickey .....P.O. Box 157, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3721/(f) (601) 786-8441

Supervisors
District 1
Louis Green, Sr. .....P.O. Box 145, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3021/(f) (601) 786-6009

District 2
Isaac Tenner .....P.O. Box 145, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3021/(f) (601) 786-6009

District 3
Trent L. Hudson .....P.O. Box 145, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3021/(f) (601) 786-6009

District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
Samantha Franklin-Jackson ..P.O. Box 357, Fayette 39069 .....(601) 786-3781/(f) (601) 786-3262

JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY

County Seat: Prentiss
Named for Confederate President Jefferson Davis
Formed: 1906
Area: 409 square miles
Population: 13,962

Mt. Carmel
Established 1819 by John A. Ragan, American Revolution soldier from Virginia. Mt. Carmel Academy chartered 1837. Town withered away when railroad by-passed it.

Board Attorney
John Wesley Daughdrill . .P.O. Box 2208, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

Chancery Clerk
John William Davis . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

Circuit Clerk
Jeri L. Landry . . . . . .P.O. Box 1082, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4231/(f) (601) 792-4957

Constables
Post 1
Walter Earl Bullock . . . . .P.O. Box 1407, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5129/(f) (601) 792-5980

Post 2
Harold Rhodes . . . . . .P.O. Box 1407, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5129/(f) (601) 792-5980

Coroner
Greg Blackwell . . . . . .P.O. Box 479, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4229/(f) (601) 792-4957

County Engineer
Les Dungan . . . . . .P.O. Box 150, Columbia 39429 . . . . . .(601) 731-2600/(f) (601) 792-4231

County Prosecuting Attorney
Damon Ready . . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

Election Commissioners
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District 2 . . . . . .O'Neal Hathorn . . . . . .P.O. Box 84, Carson 39427
District 3 . . . . . .Vera Thompson Carter . . . . . .871 Goodhope Rd., Bassfield 39421
District 4 . . . . . .Irene Carter . . . . . .408 Cedar Grove Rd., Prentiss 39474
District 5 . . . . . .Carolyn Rhodes . . . . . .363 Golden Pine Rd., Prentiss 39474

Justice Court Clerk
Judy Cole . . . . . .P.O. Box 1407, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5129/(f) (601) 792-5980

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Cecil Bayles . . . . . .P.O. Box 1407, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5129/(f) (601) 792-5980

Post 2
Johnny C. Hartzog . . . . .P.O. Box 1407, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5129/(f) (601) 792-5980

Sheriff
Henry A. McCullum . . . .P.O. Box 339, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-5169/(f) (601) 792-5980

Superintendent of Education
Dennis Fortenberry . . . . .P.O. Box 1197, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4267/(f) (601) 792-2251

Supervisors
District 1
Harmon Broome . . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

District 2
Charles Reid . . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

District 3
John H. Thompson . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

District 4
Bennie Polk . . . . . .P.O. Box 1137, Prentiss 39474 . . . . . .(601) 792-4204/(f) (601) 792-2894

District 5
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Tax Assessor
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Tax Collector
Sue D. Shivers-Worthy ...P.O. Box 547, Prentiss 39474 .....(601) 792-4291/(f) (601) 792-2276

JONES COUNTY

County Seats: Laurel and Ellisville
Named for John Paul Jones, Naval hero of the Revolutionary War
Formed: 1826
Area: 699.6 square miles
Population: 64,958

Old Ellisville
On Tallahala Creek, is the oldest town in Jones County. Named for Powahatan Ellis, the city was a scene of opposition to secession, 1861 - 1865.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerks
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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Circuit Clerks
First Judicial
Larry Ishee .....101 N. Court St., Ste. B, Ellisville 39437 .....(601) 477-8538/(f) (601) 477-8539

Second Judicial
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Constables
District 1
Milton Ray Smith .....P.O. Box 1997, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3137/(f) (601) 428-0526

District 2
Charles O. Williams ....30 Matthews Rd., Laurel 39440 .....(601) 729-2834/(f) (601) 428-0526

District 3
Mack W. Tucker .....40 Old Valentine Rd., Laurel 39443 .....(601) 426-2037/(f) (601) 428-0526

Coroner
Nancy Barnett .....180 Shady Grove Moss Rd., Laurel 39443 ...(601) 425-5387/(f) (601) 477-3253

County Court Judge
Gaylon Harper .....P.O. Box 764, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 649-7500/(f) (601) 428-3620

County Prosecuting Attorney
M. Wayne Thompson ...P.O. Box 6509, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 426-0056/(f) (601) 428-0058

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Gail Harrison Welch .....17 Kimberly Dr., Laurel 39440
District 2 .....Dr. Lester Lavahn Moss .....52 Huckleberry Rd., Ellisville 39437
District 3 .....Helen Blackledge Stanley .....2084 Mill Creek Rd., Laurel 39443
District 4 .....Ann Rose .....712 Paulding Rd., Ellisville 39437
District 5 .....Ora Lee Holden .....1133 McConkey St., Laurel 39440

Justice Court Clerk
Morris Walters .....P.O. Box 1997, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3137/(f) (601) 428-0526

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Howell Beech .....P.O. Box 1997, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3137/(f) (601) 428-0526
District 2
Wesley Rushing .....P.O. Box 1997, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3137/(f) (601) 428-0526
District 3
David Lyons .....P.O. Box 1997, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3137/(f) (601) 428-0526

Sheriff
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Supervisors
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Beat 2
Danny Roy Spradley ....P.O. Box 1468, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3139/(f) (601) 428-3602
Beat 3
Barry E. Saul .....P.O. Box 1468, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3139/(f) (601) 428-3602
Beat 4
Andy Dial .....P.O. Box 1468, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3139/(f) (601) 428-3602
Beat 5
Melvin Mack .....P.O. Box 1468, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 428-3139/(f) (601) 428-3602

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Second Judicial
Ramona Q. Blackledge ..P.O. Box 511, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 426-3248/(f) (601) 428-3102

Tax Collectors
First Judicial
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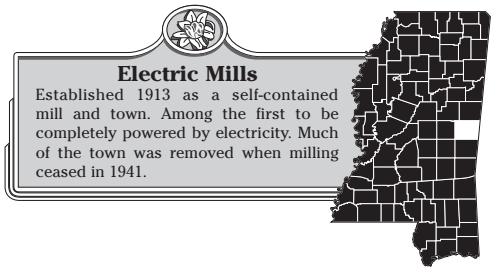
Second Judicial
Ramona Q. Blackledge ..P.O. Box 511, Laurel 39441 .....(601) 426-3248/(f) (601) 428-3102

KEMPER COUNTY

County Seat: DeKalb
Named for Reuben Kemper, who led a company of men from the Mississippi Territory against Spanish Mobile in 1811
Formed: 1833
Area: 767 square miles
Population: 10,453


Electric Mills
Established 1913 as a self-contained mill and town. Among the first to be completely powered by electricity. Much of the town was removed when milling ceased in 1941.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
Roma Allen .....P.O. Box 130, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-2224/(f) (601) 743-4173

Constables
Post 1
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Post 2
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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County Surveyor
Oliver O. Limerick .....Rt. 1 Box 27-A, Shuqualak 39361 .....(601) 793-4704/(f) (601) 743-4173

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Laura Thomas .....Rt. 1 Box 19, Scooba 39358
District 2 .....Sherline Dee Watkins .....P.O. Box 103, Scooba 39358
District 3 .....Wendell George .....Rt. 1 Box 131A, DeKalb 39328
District 4 .....Thomas Luke .....270 Hickes Rd., Preston 39354
District 5 .....Christopher Cole .....Rt. 1 Box 45, DeKalb 39328

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Mary Gully .....P.O. Box 661, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-2793/(f) (601) 743-2789
Post 2
Linda Sciple Wright .....P.O. Box 661, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-2793/(f) (601) 743-2789

Sheriff
Samuel Tisdale .....Rt. 2 Box 28, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-2255/(f) (601) 743-2266

Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
District 1
James Granger .....P.O. Box 188, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-4477/(f) (601) 743-2789
District 2
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District 3
Dennis Allen .....P.O. Box 188, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-4477/(f) (601) 743-2789
District 4
Mike Luke .....P.O. Box 188, DeKalb 39328 .....(601) 743-4477/(f) (601) 743-2789
District 5
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Tax Assessor
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Tax Collector
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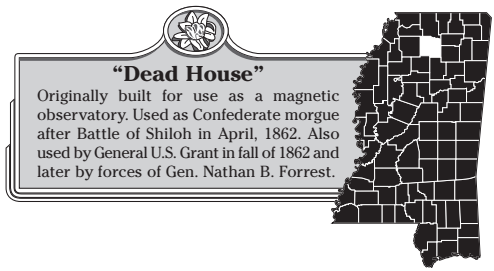
LAFAYETTE COUNTY

County Seat: Oxford
Named for General Marquis de Lafayette
Formed: 1836
Area: 679.1 square miles
Population: 38,744


"Dead House"
Originally built for use as a magnetic observatory. Used as Confederate morgue after Battle of Shiloh in April, 1862. Also used by General U.S. Grant in fall of 1862 and later by forces of Gen. Nathan B. Forrest.

Board Attorney
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Circuit Clerk
Mary Alice Busby .....1 Courthouse Sq., Ste. 101, Oxford 38655 ...(662) 234-4951/(f) (662) 236-0238

Constables
Central District
Jody Mayfield .....713 Jackson Ave., Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-0727/(f) (662) 236-7990

Northern
Avery Dunn .....713 Jackson Ave., Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-1545/(f) (662) 236-7990

Southern
Tony Sockwell .....713 Jackson Ave., Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-1545/(f) (662) 236-7990

Coroner
Lonnie Weaver .....300 N. Lamar, Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6421/(f) (662) 236-0203

County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Faye Phillips .....126 CR 429, Oxford 38655
District 2 .....Mary Kate Hemphill .....401 Vivian St., Oxford 38655
District 3 .....Diana G. Owens .....13 CR 127, Abbeville 38601
District 4 .....Cecil D. Locke .....905 Hwy. 6 W., Oxford 38655
District 5 .....Earl Babb .....747 Hwy. 9 W., Paris 38949

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judges
Central District
Mickey Avent .....713 Jackson Ave., Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-1545/(f) (662) 236-7990

Northern District
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Southern District
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Sheriff
F.D. (Buddy) East .....711 Jackson Ave., Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6421/(f) (662) 236-0203

Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
District 1
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District 2
Johnny Morgan .....P.O. Box 1240, Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6123/(f) (662) 234-5402

District 3
Robert Blackmon .....P.O. Box 1240, Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6123/(f) (662) 234-5402

District 4
Keith Brown .....P.O. Box 1240, Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6123/(f) (662) 234-5402

District 5
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Tax Collector
Martha H. Thornton ....300 N. Lamar, Oxford 38655 .....(662) 234-6421/(f) (662) 236-0203

LAMAR COUNTY

County Seat: Purvis
Named for L.Q.C. Lamar, U.S. Senator and statesman from Mississippi
Formed: 1904
Area: 500.3 square miles
Population: 39,070

Old West Florida
Originally part of French Louisiana, became West Florida under England and Spain. Annexed by U.S. after West Florida Rebellion. Added to Mississippi Territory in 1812.

Board Attorney
Pete Gamble .....P.O. Box 1210, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-5250/(f) (601) 794-1049

Chancery Clerk
Wayne Smith .....P.O. Box 247, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1114/(f) (601) 794-3903

Circuit Clerk
Leslie Wilson .....P.O. Box 369, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1204/(f) (601) 794-3905

Constables
District 1
Ricky Purvis .....P.O. Box 1010, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-2950/(f) (601) 794-1076

District 2
Paul Amacker .....P.O. Box 1010, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-2950/(f) (601) 794-1076

District 3
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Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Norma Hodges .....130 E. Lakeside Dr., Hattiesburg 39402
District 2 .....Pat Easley Boutwell .....P.O. Box 376, Lumberton 39455
District 3 .....Linda Hartfield .....43 Ledbetter Dr., Purvis 39475
District 4 .....Fleetwood V. Loustalot, Jr. .....2 Lakeview Cove, Hattiesburg 39402
District 5 .....Cecil E. Patterson .....320 N. Black Creek Rd., Sumrall 39482

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judges
District 1
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District 2
L. Larry McPhail .....P.O. Box 1010, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-2950/(f) (601) 794-1076

District 3
Carol Ann Estes Bustin ..P.O. Box 1010, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-2950/(f) (601) 794-1076

Sheriff
Danny Rigel .....P.O. Box 352, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1223/(f) (601) 794-1002

Superintendent of Education
Glenn A. Swan .....P.O. Box 609, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1602/(f) (601) 794-1012

Supervisors
District 1
Mike Backstrom .....P.O. Box 1240, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1101/(f) (601) 794-1049

District 2
Jerry Lee .....P.O. Box 1240, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1102/(f) (601) 794-1049

District 3
Joe B. Bounds .....P.O. Box 1240, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1103/(f) (601) 794-1049

District 4
Fred Hatten .....P.O. Box 1240, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1104/(f) (601) 794-1049

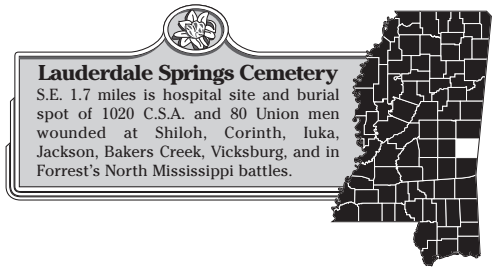
District 5
Dale Lucus .....P.O. Box 1240, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1105/(f) (601) 794-1049

Tax Assessor
James Patterson .....P.O. Box 309, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1242/(f) (601) 794-1064

Tax Collector
James Patterson .....P.O. Box 309, Purvis 39475 .....(601) 794-8504 Ext. 1242/(f) (601) 794-1064

LAUDERDALE COUNTY

County Seat: Meridian
Named for Colonel James Lauderdale, who was killed in the Battle of New Orleans
Formed: 1833
Area: 715.2 square miles
Population: 78,161


Lauderdale Springs Cemetery
S.E. 1.7 miles is hospital site and burial spot of 1020 C.S.A. and 80 Union men wounded at Shiloh, Corinth, Iuka, Jackson, Bakers Creek, Vicksburg, and in Forrest's North Mississippi battles.

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Chancery Clerk
Ann Wilson Hayes .....P.O. Box 1587, Meridian 39302-1587 .....(601) 482-9701/(f) (601) 486-4921

Circuit Clerk
Donna Jill Johnson .....P.O. Box 1005, Meridian 39302-1005 .....(601) 482-9731/(f) (601) 482-9734

Constables
District 1
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District 3 .....Awana Simmons .....9505 W. Lauderdale Rd., Collinsville 39325
District 4 .....Reuben Little .....3203 13th St., Meridian 39301
District 5 .....Ann Hall .....3145 Bolen Long Creek Rd., Meridian 39301

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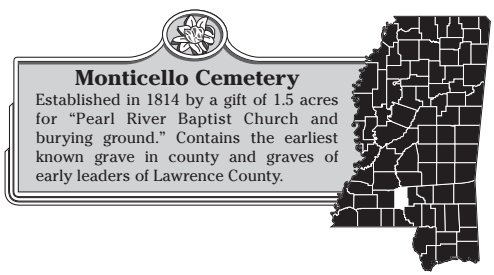
LAWRENCE COUNTY

County Seat: Monticello
Named for Captain James Lawrence, hero of the War of 1812
Formed: 1817
Area: 435.6 square miles
Population: 13,258


Monticello Cemetery
Established in 1814 by a gift of 1.5 acres for "Pearl River Baptist Church and burying ground." Contains the earliest known grave in county and graves of early leaders of Lawrence County.

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District 2 .....Joyce Price .....P.O. Box 1249, Monticello 39684
District 3 .....Loraine Smith .....597 Renfroe Rd., Monticello 39654
District 4 .....June S. Grubbs .....117 Ferguson Rd., New Hebron 39140
District 5 .....Lue Jean Harvey .....P.O. Box 61, Silver Creek 39663

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Post 2
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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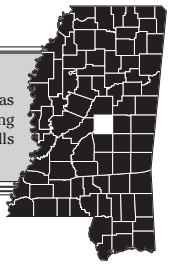
LEAKE COUNTY

County Seat: Carthage
Named for Walter Leake,
third Governor of Mississippi
Formed: 1833
Area: 585.2 square miles
Population: 20,940

Humble Beginnings
The first courthouse of Leake County was constructed by J.M. Hooper, consisting entirely of pine poles covered with walls of bark.



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District 3 . . . . . .Fannie Mae Jones . . . . . .113 Yellow Creek Rd., Carthage 39051
District 4 . . . . . .Linda Sanders . . . . . .656 Barnett Rd., Carthage 39051
District 5 . . . . . .Addie Lou Hudson . . . . . .Rt. 2 Box 213, Walnut Grove 39189

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Tax Collector
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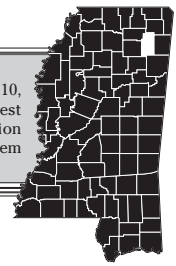
LEE COUNTY

County Seat: Tupelo
Named for Robert E. Lee, General of the Confederacy
Formed: 1866
Area: 453.1 square miles
Population: 75,755

Brice's Crossroads
Six miles west of Baldwyn, on June 10, 1864, General Forrest won his greatest victory, crushing the superior Union forces of General Sturgis and driving them back to Memphis.



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District 3 .....John M. Wages .....148 Rd. 199, Tupelo 38801
District 4 .....Harry Grayson, Jr. .....214 Franklin St., Tupelo 38804
District 5 .....John H. Edwards .....276 CR 830, Plantersville 38862

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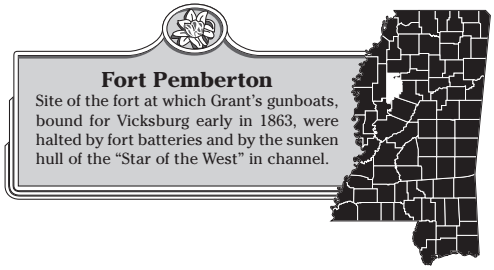
LEFLORE COUNTY

County Seat: Greenwood
Named for Greenwood Leflore,
Chief of the Choctaw Indians
Formed: 1871
Area: 606.2 square miles
Population: 37,947


Fort Pemberton
Site of the fort at which Grant's gunboats, bound for Vicksburg early in 1863, were halted by fort batteries and by the sunken hull of the "Star of the West" in channel.

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LINCOLN COUNTY

County Seat: Brookhaven
Named for Abraham Lincoln,
16th President of the United States
Formed: 1870
Area: 588 square miles
Population: 33,166

Brookhaven
Founded by Samuel Jayne in 1818, it grew rapidly as a railway terminus after 1851. Was recruiting and hospital center during Civil War. Since 1907 has led in dairy industry.

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District 5 .....Lee Warren .....3096 Caseyville Rd. NW, Wesson 39191

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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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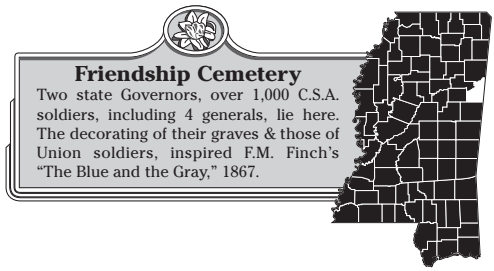
LOWNDES COUNTY

County Seat: Columbus
Named for William Lowndes, noted Carolina congressman
Formed: 1830
Area: 516.5 square miles
Population: 61,586


Friendship Cemetery
Two state Governors, over 1,000 C.S.A. soldiers, including 4 generals, lie here. The decorating of their graves & those of Union soldiers, inspired F.M. Finch's "The Blue and the Gray," 1867.

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District 4 . . . . . .Sherry A. Guyton . . . . . .82 Granderson Dr., Columbus 39702
District 5 . . . . . .Frances O. Stewart . . . . . .2418 21st Ave. N., Columbus 39701

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Justice Court Judges
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Tax Collector
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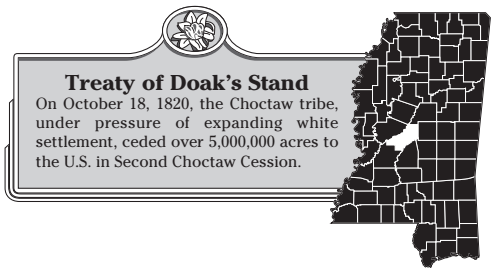
MADISON COUNTY

County Seat: Canton
Named for James Madison,
fourth President of the United States
Formed: 1828
Area: 741.7 square miles
Population: 74,674


Treaty of Doak's Stand
On October 18, 1820, the Choctaw tribe, under pressure of expanding white settlement, ceded over 5,000,000 acres to the U.S. in Second Choctaw Cession.

Chancery Clerk
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District 3
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Place 2
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 3 .....Kackey Chaney .....P.O. Drawer 136, Canton 39046
District 4 .....Azzie Lee Jackson .....P.O. Drawer 136, Canton 39046
District 5 .....Leroy Lacey .....P.O. Drawer 136, Canton 39046

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Tax Collector
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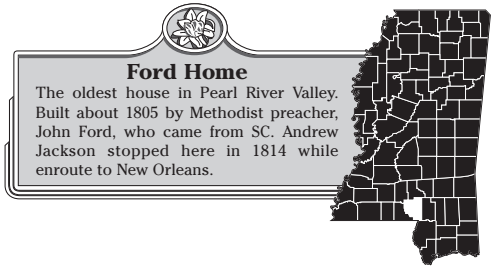
MARION COUNTY

County Seat: Columbia
Named for General Francis Marion, Revolutionary War hero
Formed: 1817
Area: 548.4 square miles
Population: 25,595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District 2
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District 4 .....Richard Lott .....318 Hurricane Creek Church Rd., Sandy Hook 39478
District 5 .....Charles C. Marshall .....No. 4 Rural Center Ln., Columbia 39429

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Justice Court Judge
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Post 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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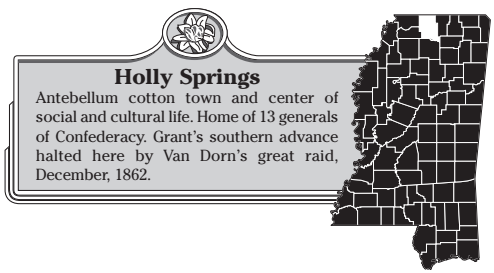
MARSHALL COUNTY

County Seat: Holly Springs
Named for John Marshall,
Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court
Formed: 1836
Area: 709.6 square miles
Population: 34,993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District 3 .....Roy E. Lambert .....122 Hilliard Rd., Byhalia 38611
District 4 .....John L. Taylor .....608 N. Mullins Rd., Byhalia 38611
District 5 .....Betty Whaley .....1974 Hwy. 349 S., Potts Camp 38659

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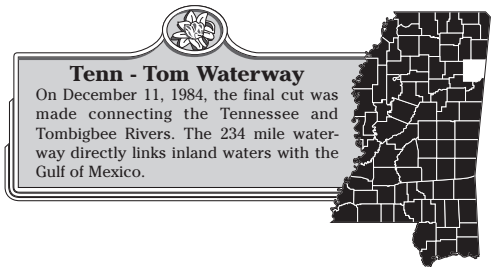
MONROE COUNTY

County Seat: Aberdeen
Named for President James Monroe
Formed: 1821
Area: 772.1 square miles
Population: 38,014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District 3
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District 4 . . . . . .James Paul Chandler . . . . . .10238 Homestead Rd., Aberdeen 39730
District 5 . . . . . .Doris Suggs . . . . . .1108 108th St., Amory 38821

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District 3
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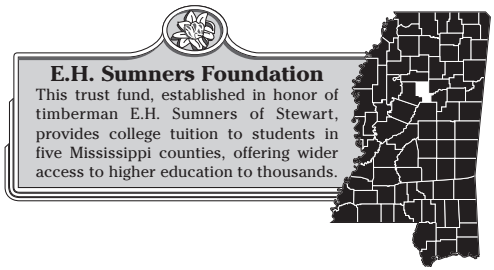
MONTGOMERY COUNTY

County Seat: Winona
Named for Richard Montgomery, Revolutionary War General
Formed: 1871
Area: 407.1 square miles
Population: 12,189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District 2
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District 2
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Tax Collector
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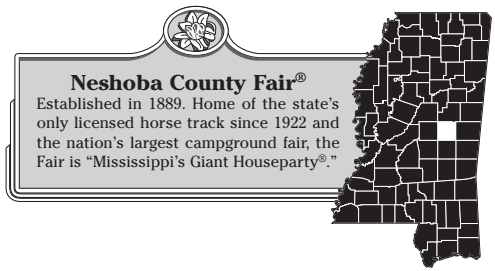
NESHOBA COUNTY

County Seat: Philadelphia
Named for Indian word meaning "wolf"
Formed: 1833
Area: 571.5 square miles
Population: 28,684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Circuit Clerk
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District 3 .....Steve M. Thomas .....10531 CR 539, Philadelphia 39350
District 4 .....Martha Brantley .....10221 CR 240, Union 39365
District 5 .....Yvonne Moore .....15550 Hwy. 15 N., Philadelphia 39350

Justice Court Clerk
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Harold K. Reynolds ....401 E. Beacon St., Ste. 201, Philadelphia 39350 . .(601) 656-6281/(f) (601) 650-3280

District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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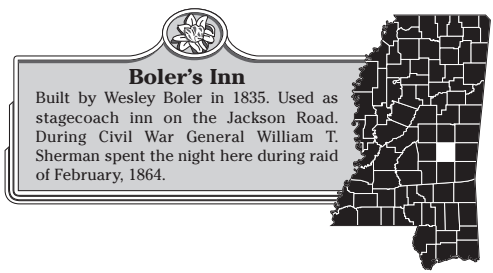
NEWTON COUNTY

County Seat: Decatur
Named for Sir Isaac Newton, scientist
Formed: 1836
Area: 579.4 square miles
Population: 21,838


Boler's Inn
Built by Wesley Boler in 1835. Used as stagecoach inn on the Jackson Road. During Civil War General William T. Sherman spent the night here during raid of February, 1864.

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District 2
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District 3 . . . . . .L. Duval Rigdon . . . . . .785 Stamper Pond Rd., Union 39365
District 4 . . . . . .Faye Crosby . . . . . .545 Crosby Rd., Lake 39092
District 5 . . . . . .Sylvia White . . . . . .P.O. Box 87, Hickory 39332

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Sheriff
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Supervisors
District 1
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Tax Collector
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NOXUBEE COUNTY

County Seat: Macon
Named for Indian word meaning "stinking water"
Formed: 1833
Area: 700 square miles
Population: 12,548

Dancing Rabbit Creek
On September 7, 1830, the Choctaw Indians signed their last treaty with the United States, yielding most of their remaining tribal lands in Mississippi.

Board Attorney
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Circuit Clerk
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Constables
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District 4 . . . . . .Ms. Willie Matt Smith Miller . . . . . .P.O. Box 96, Shuqualak 39361
District 5 . . . . . .John Bankhead . . . . . .P.O. Box 291, Brooksville 39731

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Sheriff
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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Tax Collector
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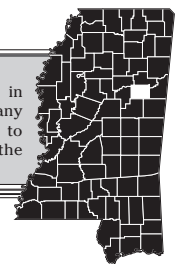
OKTIBBEHA COUNTY

County Seat: Starkville
Named for Indian word meaning "bloody water"
Formed: 1833
Area: 461.8 square miles
Population: 42,902

Odd Fellows Cemetery
One of the oldest black cemeteries in Mississippi. Here are buried many who made significant contributions to the growth of Mississippi and the advancement of the black race.



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Circuit Clerk
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District 3
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County Surveyor
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District 3 .....Myles Carpenter .....108 St. Charles Rd., Starkville 39759
District 4 .....Joe Baker .....111 Dunlap, Starkville 39759
District 5 .....Hollie Ford .....1407 Hwy. 25 S., Starkville 39759

Justice Court Clerk
Elaine Campbell .....104 Felix Long Dr., Starkville 39759 .....(662) 324-3032/(f) (662) 338-1078

Justice Court Judges
District 1
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Collector
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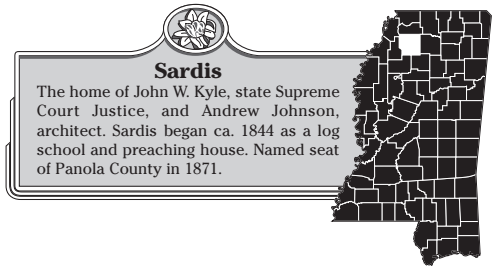
PANOLA COUNTY

County Seats: Batesville and Sardis
Named for Indian word meaning "cotton"
Formed: 1836
Area: 704.9 square miles
Population: 34,274


Sardis
The home of John W. Kyle, state Supreme Court Justice, and Andrew Johnson, architect. Sardis began ca. 1844 as a log school and preaching house. Named seat of Panola County in 1871.

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Second Judicial
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Circuit Clerks
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Second Judicial
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District 3 . . . . . .Mildred H. Moore . . . . . .P.O. Box 55, Pope 38658
District 4 . . . . . .Bonnie G. Land . . . . . .4418 Good Hope Rd., Batesville 38606
District 5 . . . . . .Ronald McMinn . . . . . .202 Brinkley Ln., Batesville 38606

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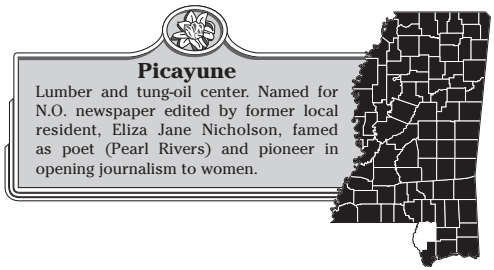
PEARL RIVER COUNTY

County Seat: Poplarville
Named for the Pearl River
Formed: 1890
Area: 818.7 square miles
Population: 48,621


Picayune
Lumber and tung-oil center. Named for N.O. newspaper edited by former local resident, Eliza Jane Nicholson, famed as poet (Pearl Rivers) and pioneer in opening journalism to women.

Board Attorney
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Circuit Clerk
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Southwest District
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Idora White .....128 N. Hughes, Poplarville 39470
District 2 .....Margaret J. Woodson .....49 Woodson Ln., Poplarville 39470
District 3 .....Beatrice Bond .....3240 Hwy. 53 S., Poplarville 39470
District 4 .....Bobby O. Robbins .....P.O. Box 15, Nicholson 39463
District 5 .....Hilda B. Owen .....249 White Chapel Rd., Carriere 39426

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Justice Court Judges
North
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Southeast
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Southwest
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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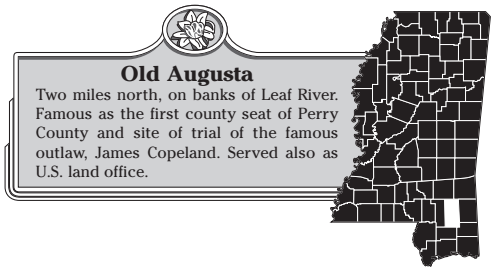
Tax Collector
Gary Beech .....P.O. Box 509, Poplarville 39470 .....(601) 403-2300/(f) (601) 403-2229

PERRY COUNTY

County Seat: New Augusta
Named for Commodore Oliver Perry, hero of the Battle of Lake Erie
Formed: 1820
Area: 650.1 square miles
Population: 12,138


Old Augusta
Two miles north, on banks of Leaf River. Famous as the first county seat of Perry County and site of trial of the famous outlaw, James Copeland. Served also as U.S. land office.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
Martha F. Clark .....P.O. Box 198, New Augusta 39462 .....(601) 964-8663/(f) (601) 964-8740

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District 2
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District 2 .....Imogene Watkins .....17 Richard Dr., Petal 39465
District 3 .....Elaine Harris .....91677 Hwy. 42 E., Richton 39476
District 4 .....Diane Lee Allen .....99 Arlington Loop, Beaumont 39423
District 5 .....Michelle Lott .....37 Will Cowart Rd., McLain 39456

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Justice Court Judges
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William T. Odom .....P.O. Box 781, Richton 39476 .....(601) 964-8366/(f) (601) 964-8368

District 2
Jimmy Poe .....P.O. Box 215, Beaumont 39423 .....(601) 964-8366/(f) (601) 964-8368

Sheriff
Carlos W. Herring .....P.O. Box 228, New Augusta 39462 .....(601) 964-8461/(f) (601) 964-8463

Superintendent of Education
Scott Dearman .....P.O. Box 137, New Augusta 39462 .....(601) 964-3211/(f) (601) 964-8205

Supervisors
District 1
Bobby Bolton .....1234 Brooklyn Rd., Beaumont 39423 .....(601) 964-8370/(f) (601) 964-8265

District 2
Prentiss Garner .....53 Phillips Nursery Rd., Richton 39476 .....(601) 964-8370/(f) (601) 964-8265

District 3
John Anderson .....111 Good Hope Church Rd., Richton 39476 ..(601) 964-8370/(f) (601) 964-8265

District 4
John R. Thompson .....52 Monk Cochran Loop, Beaumont 39423 ..(601) 964-8370/(f) (601) 964-8265

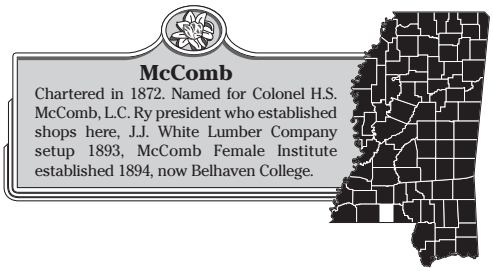
District 5
W.P. (Billy) Cooley .....193 Paret Tower Rd., Brooklyn 39425 .....(601) 964-8370/(f) (601) 964-8265

Tax Assessor
Linda Carroll .....P.O. Box 306, New Augusta 39642 .....(601) 964-3398/(f) (601) 964-8265

Tax Collector
Linda Carroll .....P.O. Box 306, New Augusta 39462 .....(601) 964-3398/(f) (601) 964-8265

PIKE COUNTY

County Seat: Magnolia
Named for General Zebulon Pike, army commander and explorer
Formed: 1817
Area: 410.7 square mile
Population: 38,940


McComb
Chartered in 1872. Named for Colonel H.S. McComb, L.C. Ry president who established shops here, J.J. White Lumber Company setup 1893, McComb Female Institute established 1894, now Belhaven College.

Board Attorney
Wayne Dowdy .....P.O. Box 30, Magnolia 39652 .....(601) 783-6600/(f) (601) 783-3670

Chancery Clerk
Doug Touchtone .....P.O. Box 309, Magnolia 39652 .....(601) 783-3362/(f) (601) 783-4101

Circuit Clerk
Roger A. Graves . . . . . .P.O. Box 31, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-2581/(f) (601) 783-6322

Constables
Central
Billy Young . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Northern
Denny Johnson . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Southern
Scott Enlow . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Coroner
Percy Pittman, Jr. . . . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 684-9422/(f) (601) 249-1751

County Court Judge
John P. Price . . . . . .294 E. Laurel St., Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6538/(f) (601) 783-5183

County Prosecuting Attorney
Brandon Wayne Frazier . .P.O. Box 1945, McComb 39649 . . . . . .(601) 684-1125/(f) (601) 684-1171

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Audrey H. Jenkins . . . . . .215 E. Presley Blvd., McComb 39648
District 2 . . . . . .Artist Robbins . . . . . .2107 Gradyville Rd., McComb 39648
District 3 . . . . . .Shirley P. Fitzgerald . . . . . .1107 Friendship Rd., McComb 39648
District 4 . . . . . .Melody White . . . . . .3013 Old Brookhaven Rd., Summit 39666
District 5 . . . . . .Lynn Wells . . . . . .1184 Park Dr. Ext., McComb 39648

Justice Court Clerk
Sharon Miller . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Justice Court Judges
Central
Spencer Nash . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Northern District
Cyrus Hoaglund . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Southern
Aubrey Rimes . . . . . .P.O. Box 509, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5333/(f) (601) 783-4181

Sheriff
Mark B. Shepherd . . . . . .2109 Jessie Hall Rd., Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-2323/(f) (601) 783-6586

Supervisors
District 1
Tazwell Bowsky . . . . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6569/(f) (601) 783-6540

District 2
Lexie Elmore . . . . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6569/(f) (601) 783-6540

District 3
Aubrey L. Matthews . . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6569/(f) (601) 783-6540

District 4
Venton Adams . . . . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6569/(f) (601) 783-6540

District 5
Carroll L. Fortenberry . . .P.O. Box 431, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-6569/(f) (601) 783-6540

Tax Assessor
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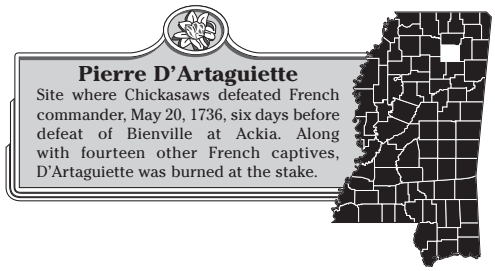
Tax Collector
Joe B. Young . . . . . .P.O. Box 111, Magnolia 39652 . . . . . .(601) 783-5511/(f) (601) 783-3784

PONTOTOC COUNTY

County Seat: Pontotoc
Named for Indian word meaning "weed prairie" or "land of hanging grapes"
Formed: 1836
Area: 500.9 square miles
Population: 26,726


Pierre D'Artaguiette
Site where Chickasaws defeated French commander, May 20, 1736, six days before defeat of Bienville at Ackia. Along with fourteen other French captives, D'Artaguiette was burned at the stake.

Board Attorney
Phillip Tutor .....P.O. Box 487, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-1701/(f) (662) 489-8761

Chancery Clerk
Reggie Collums .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

Circuit Clerk
Tracy L. Robinson .....P.O. Box 428, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3908/(f) (662) 489-3940

Constables
East
Early McHinney .....29 E. Washington, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3921/(f) (662) 489-3921

West
Larry Gillespie .....29 E. Washington, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3921/(f) (662) 489-3921

Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
Malcolm McAuley .....P.O. Box 878, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-1551/(f) (662) 489-2726

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Maymon Dowdy .....2983 Hwy. 345, Pontotoc 38863
District 2 .....Laura L. Franklin .....224 Greenbriar Cir., Pontotoc 38863
District 3 .....Gray Bland .....776 Cooke Rd., Pontotoc 38863
District 4 .....Clara Jaggers .....5217 Hwy. 6 E., Pontotoc 38863
District 5 .....James Fleetwood Stegall .....799 Pontocola Rd., Pontotoc 38863-9521

Justice Court Clerk
Melissa Britt .....29 E. Washington, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3920/(f) (662) 489-3921

Justice Court Judges
East
Ed Barton .....29 E. Washington, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3920/(f) (662) 489-3921

West
Phillip Weeks .....29 E. Washington, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3920/(f) (662) 489-3921

Sheriff
Leo Mask .....P.O. Box 240, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3111/(f) (662) 489-3312

Superintendent of Education
John A. Simmons .....285 Hwy. 15 Bypass S., Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3932/(f) (662) 489-3922

Supervisors
District 1
Wayne Stokes .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

District 2
Dwayne Graham .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

District 3
Duane Tutor .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

District 4
Ernie Wright .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

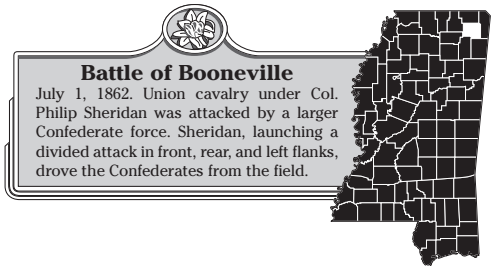
District 5
Dennis Corder .....P.O. Box 209, Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3900/(f) (662) 489-3940

Tax Assessor
Larry Joe Austin .....11 E. Washington St., Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3904/(f) (662) 489-3917

Tax Collector
Larry Joe Austin .....11 E. Washington St., Pontotoc 38863 .....(662) 489-3904/(f) (662) 489-3917

PRENTISS COUNTY

County Seat: Booneville
Named for Sargent S. Prentiss, Mississippi orator
Formed: 1870
Area: 418.2 square miles
Population: 25,556


Battle of Booneville
July 1, 1862. Union cavalry under Col. Philip Sheridan was attacked by a larger Confederate force. Sheridan, launching a divided attack in front, rear, and left flanks, drove the Confederates from the field.

Board Attorney
Joey Langston .....P.O. Box 787, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007

Chancery Clerk
Travis W. Childers .....P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-8151/(f) (662) 728-2007

Circuit Clerk
J.F. Bud Green .....P.O. Box 727, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-4611/(f) (662) 728-2006

Constables
Northern
Robert Moore .....1901-C E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-2001/(f) (662) 728-2009

Southern
Harry Allen .....1901-C E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-2001/(f) (662) 728-2009

Coroner
James Horn .....P.O. Box 369, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-3102/(f) (662) 728-1403

County Engineer
Cook & Coggin .....P.O. Box 1526, Tupelo 38802 .....(662) 728-1790/(f) (662) 844-4564

County Prosecuting Attorney
Laura C. McElroy .....P.O. Box 479, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-2524/(f) (662) 728-2524

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Johnny H. Lindley .....51 CR 5051, Booneville 38829
District 2 .....Jimmie C. Cox .....163 CR 7131, Booneville 38829
District 3 .....Sherry Prather .....297 CR 5111, Booneville 38829
District 4 .....Larry G. Eaton .....57 CR 4001, Marietta 38856
District 5 .....Dwight Brown .....56 CR 2241, Booneville 38829

Justice Court Clerk
Donna Inman .....1901-C E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-8696/(f) (662) 728-2009

Justice Court Judges
Northern
Debra Moore .....1901-C E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-8696/(f) (662) 728-2009

Southern
Billy Sartin .....1901-C E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-8696/(f) (662) 728-2009

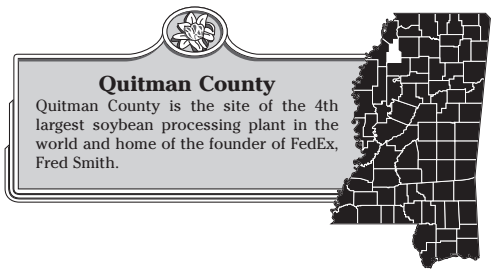
Sheriff
Randy Tolar .....1901-B E. Chambers Dr., Booneville 38829 ..(662) 728-6232/(f) (662) 728-2003

Superintendent of Education
Kenneth Chism .....P.O. Box 179, Booneville 38829 .....(662) 728-4911/(f) (662) 728-2000

Supervisors
District 1
Buddy Clark . . . . . .P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 . . . . . .(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007
District 2
Glen Green . . . . . .P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 . . . . . .(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007
District 3
Mike Keesler . . . . . .P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 . . . . . .(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007
District 4
Mike Huddleston . . . . . .P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 . . . . . .(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007
District 5
Larry Lambert . . . . . .P.O. Box 477, Booneville 38829 . . . . . .(662) 728-4610/(f) (662) 728-2007
Tax Assessor
Steve Eaton . . . . . .101 N. Main, Rm. B., Booneville 38829 . . . . .(662) 728-5044/(f) (662) 728-2010
Tax Collector
Homer (Rusty) W. Cole .101 N. Main, Rm. B., Booneville 38829 . . . . .(662) 728-5044/(f) (662) 728-2010

QUITMAN COUNTY

County Seat: Marks
Named for John A. Quitman, tenth Governor of Mississippi
Formed: 1877
Area: 406.4 square miles
Population: 10,117


Quitman County
Quitman County is the site of the 4th largest soybean processing plant in the world and home of the founder of FedEx, Fred Smith.

Board Attorney
Robert Roy . . . . . .P.O. Drawer 250, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-8530/(f) (662) 326-8004
Chancery Clerk
T.H. (Butch) Scipper . . . .230 Chestnut St., Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-2661/(f) (662) 326-8004
Circuit Clerk
Brenda A. Wiggs . . . . . .230 Chestnut St., Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-8003/(f) (662) 326-8004
Constables
District 1
Charles E. Johnson . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-2104/(f) (662) 326-8004
District 2
Tommy Bryant . . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-2104/(f) (662) 326-2104
Coroner
Teresa P. Ruth . . . . . .P.O. Box 399, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-9232/(f) (662) 326-8851
County Prosecuting Attorney
Jimmy Miller . . . . . .330 Pecan St., Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-4223
Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Ida McNutt . . . . . .166 Lesure Rd., Sledge 38670
District 2 . . . . . .Dorothy A. Survillion . . . . . .302 5th St., Marks 38646
District 3 . . . . . .Sue Reed . . . . . .600 Bill Locke Rd, Marks 38646
District 4 . . . . . .Arthur L. Gates . . . . . .119 Lewis St., Marks 38646
District 5 . . . . . .George R. Shields . . . . . .1775 Shields Rd, Lambert 38643
Justice Court Clerk
Eloise Figgs . . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-2104/(f) (662) 326-8004
Justice Court Judges
District 1
James Harris . . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Marks 38646 . . . . . .(662) 326-2104/(f) (662) 326-8004

District 2
Joe M. Brown .....P.O. Box 100, Marks 38646 .....(662) 326-2104/(f) (662) 326-8004

Sheriff
Oliver Parker .....P.O. Box 365, Marks 38646 .....(662) 326-3131/(f) (662) 326-8004

Superintendent of Education
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Assessor
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Tax Collector
Lana T. Bridges .....230 Chestnut St., Marks 38646 .....(662) 326-8928/(f) (662) 326-8004

RANKIN COUNTY

County Seat: Brandon
Named for Christopher Rankin, U.S. Representative
Formed: 1828
Area: 805.9 square miles
Population: 115,327

Shiloh Campground
Established in 1832 by settlers of this community who came into Mississippi from the Orangeburg District of South Carolina. The Shiloh Camp Meeting is held yearly in August.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Murphy Adkins .....P.O. Box 700, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 825-1469/(f) (601) 824-7116

Circuit Clerk
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Constables
District 1
C.F. (Charlie) Tillman ...P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

District 2
B.A. Partridge .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

District 3
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District 4
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Coroner
Jimmy L. Roberts .....P.O. Box 5646, Pearl 39208 .....(601) 939-5997/(f) (601) 939-6798

County Court Judges
Place 1
Kent McDaniel .....P.O. Drawer 1599, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 825-1474/(f) (601) 824-2441

Place 2
Thomas H. Broome .....P.O. Drawer 1599, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 825-1474/(f) (601) 825-1465

County Prosecuting Attorney
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County Surveyor
Thomas Case .....P.O. Box 434, Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-3058/(f) (601) 825-3058

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Richard Wilson .....2001 Whites Cv., Florence 39073
District 2 .....Harold A. Crain .....105 Sweetgum Rd., Brandon 39047
District 3 .....Sandra Martin .....844 Hwy. 469 N., Pearl 39208
District 4 .....Matt R. Grubbs .....32 Sunline Dr., Brandon 39042
District 5 .....C.L. (Charlie) Pittman .....3432 Lanell Ln., Pearl 39208

Justice Court Clerk
Kristie Pyles .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2672/(f) (601) 824-2668

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Richard Redfern .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

District 2
John Shirley .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

District 3
Billy Ray Brown .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

District 4
Ken Warren .....P.O. Box 71, Brandon 39043 .....(601) 824-2665/(f) (601) 824-2668

Sheriff
Ronnie Pennington .....221 N. Timber, Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1480/(f) (601) 824-0268

Superintendent of Education
Lynn Weathersby .....1220 Apple Park Pl., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-5590/(f) (601) 825-2618

Supervisors
District 1
O.E. Perry .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1475/(f) (601) 825-9600

District 2
Larry Swales .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1475/(f) (601) 825-9600

District 3
Ken Martin .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1475/(f) (601) 825-9600

District 4
Bob Everett .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1475/(f) (601) 825-9600

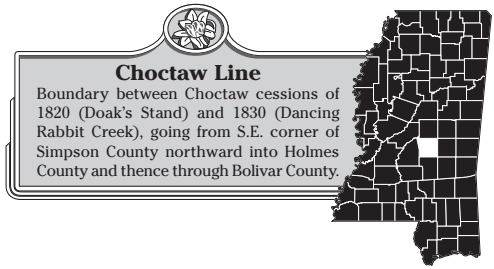
District 5
Jay Bishop .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1475/(f) (601) 825-9600

Tax Assessor
Barbara Broome Collier ..211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1470/(f) (601) 824-2457

Tax Collector
Judy Fortenberry .....211 E. Government St., Brandon 39042 .....(601) 825-1467/(f) (601) 824-7111

SCOTT COUNTY

County Seat: Forest
Named for Abram Scott,
seventh Governor of Mississippi
Formed: 1833
Area: 610.2 square miles
Population: 28,423


Choctaw Line
Boundary between Choctaw cessions of 1820 (Doak's Stand) and 1830 (Dancing Rabbit Creek), going from S.E. corner of Simpson County northward into Holmes County and thence through Bolivar County.

Board Attorney
Roy Noble Lee, Jr. .....P.O. Box 370, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-2721/(f) (601) 469-4216

Chancery Clerk
Billy Frank Alford .....P.O. Box 630, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1922/(f) (601) 469-5180

Circuit Clerk
Joe Rigby .....P.O. Box 371, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-3601/(f) (601) 469-5188

Constables
Post 1
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Post 2
Bill H. Wilbourne .....P.O. Box 371, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-4555/(f) (601) 469-5193

Coroner
Joe C. Bradford .....1120 E. Third St., Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-2525/(f) (601) 469-2525

County Prosecuting Attorney
Tanya Carl .....P.O. Box 57, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-0112/(f) (601) 469-0712

County Surveyor
Joe L. Townsend .....P.O. Box 755, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1429/(f) (601) 469-5068

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Fannie Mae Bradford .....344 Bradford Ln., Forest 39074
District 2 .....Alice Herron .....3194 Hwy. 35 S., Forest 39074
District 3 .....Bruce Clifford .....P.O. Box 514, Morton 39117
District 4 .....Sue May .....209 Fairground Rd., Morton 39117
District 5 .....Louise Johnston .....708 McDill Dr., Lake 39092

Justice Court Clerk
Betty Odom .....P.O. Box 371, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-4555/(f) (601) 469-5193

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Wilbur McCurdy .....P.O. Box 371, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-4555/(f) (601) 469-5193

Post 2
Robert G. Wilkerson ....P.O. Box 371, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-4555/(f) (601) 469-5193

Sheriff
William S. Richardson ...531 Airport Rd., Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1511/(f) (601) 469-5224

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Supervisors
District 1
Jackie Bradford .....P.O. Box 630, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1922/(f) (601) 469-5180

District 2
Tim Sorey .....P.O. Box 630, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1922/(f) (601) 469-5180

District 3
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District 4
Jack Gordon .....P.O. Box 630, Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-1922/(f) (601) 489-5180

District 5
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Tax Collector
Myra Murrell Davis ....100 E. First St., Forest 39074 .....(601) 469-4051/(f) (601) 469-5184

SHARKEY COUNTY

County Seat: Rolling Fork
Named for W.L. Sharkey, provisional Governor of MS following the Civil War
Formed: 1876
Area: 434.8 square miles
Population: 6,580

Teddy Roosevelt's Bear Hunt
President Theodore Roosevelt came to Smedes in 1902 to hunt. On Nov. 14, Roosevelt refused to shoot a captive bear. Cartoons of the event are thought to have led to the creation of the "Teddy Bear."

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Murindia Williams .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

Circuit Clerk
Murindia Williams .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

Constables
Post 1
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Post 2
Charlie Marshall .....P.O. Box 235, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-6140/(f) (662) 873-0154

Coroner
Ola Mae Holmes .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2273/(f) (662) 873-2262

County Engineer
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County Prosecuting Attorney
Charles Weissinger .....P.O. Box 215, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-6258/(f) (662) 873-6903

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....June B. Wilson .....238 Joor Ave., Rolling Fork 39159
District 2 .....D.W. Johnson .....P.O. Box 105, Cary 39054
District 3 .....Catherine B. Norris .....78 Lindsey St., Rolling Fork 39159
District 4 .....Sadie Hester .....P.O. Box 418, Anguilla 38721
District 5 .....Carlos Caselli .....P.O. Box 74, Nitta Yuma 38763

Justice Court Clerk
Patty Stevens .....P.O. Box 235, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-6140/(f) (662) 873-0154

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Treves H. Cooper .....P.O. Box 235, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-6140/(f) (662) 873-0154

Post 2
Clark Secoy .....P.O. Box 235, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-6140/(f) (662) 873-0154

Sheriff
Lindsey Adams, Jr. .....120 Locust St., Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-4321/(f) (662) 873-6135

Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
District 1
William E. Newsom ....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

District 2
Melvin Jones .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

District 3
Samuel Matthews .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

District 4
Joe King .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

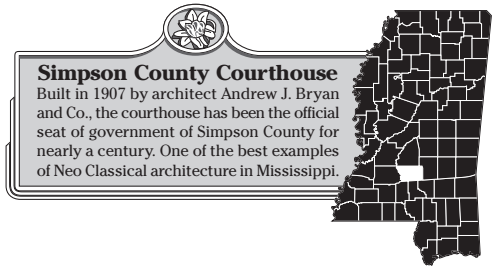
District 5
Willie Smith .....P.O. Box 218, Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-2755/(f) (662) 873-6045

Tax Assessor
Tracy Brown .....120 Locust St., Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-4317/(f) (662) 873-0115

Tax Collector
Tracy Brown .....120 Locust St., Rolling Fork 39159 .....(662) 873-4317/(f) (662) 873-0115

SIMPSON COUNTY

County Seat: Mendenhall
Named for Josiah Simpson, judge during Mississippi Territory days
Formed: 1824
Area: 590.3 square miles
Population: 27,639


Simpson County Courthouse
Built in 1907 by architect Andrew J. Bryan and Co., the courthouse has been the official seat of government of Simpson County for nearly a century. One of the best examples of Neo Classical architecture in Mississippi.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
Cindy M. Jensen .....P.O. Box 307, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-2474/(f) (601) 847-4011

Constables
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Post 2
Dan Easterling .....159 Court Ave., Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-5848/(f) (601) 847-5856

Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Calvin Edwards .....596 Old Panola Braxton Rd., Braxton 39044
District 2 .....Jane Herrington .....280 Hall Rd., Magee 39111
District 3 .....Charles M. Case, Sr. .....500 Main St. N., Mendenhall 39114
District 4 .....Murry Keith .....206 5th St. SW., Magee 39111
District 5 .....Wanda Bridges .....P.O. Box 277, Harrisville 39082

Justice Court Clerk
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Justice Court Judge
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Post 2
Eugene Knight .....159 Court Ave., Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-5848/(f) (601) 847-5856

Sheriff
Kenneth Lewis .....111 W. Pine St., Ste. 1, Mendenhall 39114 ...(601) 847-2921/(f) (601) 847-1602

Superintendent of Education
Jack McAlpin .....111 Education Ln., Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1562/(f) (601) 847-8001

Supervisors
District 1
Curtis Skiffer .....P.O. Box 308, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1418/(f) (601) 847-7004

District 2
Dempsey Sullivan .....P.O. Box 308, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1418/(f) (601) 847-7004

District 3
Pete Lowery .....P.O. Box 308, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1418/(f) (601) 847-7004

District 4
Sammy Welch .....P.O. Box 308, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1418/(f) (601) 847-7004

District 5
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Tax Assessor
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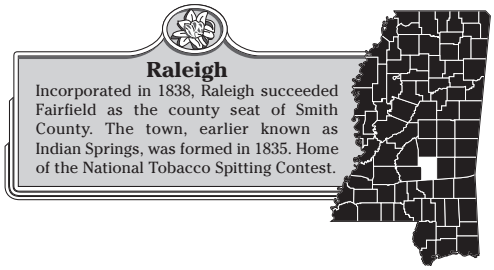
Tax Collector
Charles Baldwin .....P.O. Box 459, Mendenhall 39114 .....(601) 847-1744/(f) (601) 847-2119

SMITH COUNTY

County Seat: Raleigh
Named for Major David Smith of Hinds County
Formed: 1833
Area: 637.1 square miles
Population: 16,182


Raleigh
Incorporated in 1838, Raleigh succeeded Fairfield as the county seat of Smith County. The town, earlier known as Indian Springs, was formed in 1835. Home of the National Tobacco Spitting Contest.

Board Attorney
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Circuit Clerk
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Constables
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Post 2
Johnny Hancock .....P.O. Box 171, Raleigh 39153 .....(601) 782-4334/(f) (601) 782-4005

Coroner
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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District 2 . . . . . .Perry Duckworth . . . . . .P.O. Box 898, Taylorsville 39168
District 3 . . . . . .Sherri Darden . . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Mize 39116
District 4 . . . . . .Herman Cockrell . . . . . .3688 SCR 110, Magee 39111
District 5 . . . . . .Glendell Webb . . . . . .8340 SCR 581, Raleigh 39153

Justice Court Clerk
Donna Watts . . . . . .P.O. Box 171, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4334/(f) (601) 782-4005

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Jerry Baldwin . . . . . .P.O. Box 171, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4334/(f) (601) 782-4005

Post 2
Hulon West . . . . . .P.O. Box 171, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4334/(f) (601) 782-4005

Sheriff
Charlie Crumpton . . . . . .P.O. Box 307, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4531/(f) (601) 782-4003

Superintendent of Education
Warren Woodrow . . . . . .P.O. Box 308, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4296/(f) (601) 782-9895

Supervisors
District 1
Terry Lee Butler . . . . . .P.O. Box 160, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4000/(f) (601) 782-4002

District 2
Dwight Norris . . . . . .P.O. Box 160, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4000/(f) (601) 782-4002

District 3
Benji Ford . . . . . .P.O. Box 160, Raleigh 39153 . . . . . .(601) 782-4000/(f) (601) 782-4002

District 4
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District 5
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Tax Assessor
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Tax Collector
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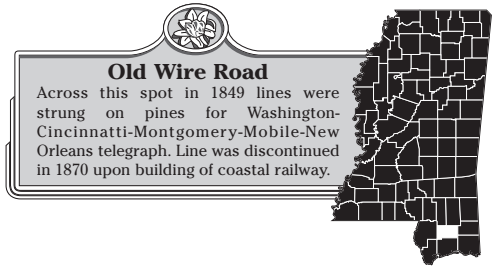
STONE COUNTY

County Seat: Wiggins
Named for John Marshall Stone,
31st Governor of Mississippi
Formed: 1916
Area: 448 square miles
Population: 13,622


Old Wire Road
Across this spot in 1849 lines were strung on pines for Washington-Cincinnatti-Montgomery-Mobile-New Orleans telegraph. Line was discontinued in 1870 upon building of coastal railway.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
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Circuit Clerk
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Constables
East
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West
Ricky Farmer .....231 Third St., Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-4415/(f) (601) 928-2114

Coroner
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County Engineer
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County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Carol A. Batson .....332 Vine St., Wiggins 39577
District 2 .....Clifton D. Anderson .....P.O. Box 31, Wiggins 39577
District 3 .....Georgia Fae Bond .....1824 Perk Silver Run Rd., Perkinston 39573
District 4 .....Martha B. Smith .....144 Inda Rd., Perkinston 39573
District 5 .....Judy Bechtel .....697 City Ridge Rd., Perkinston 39573

Justice Court Clerk
Glenda Joyce Cobb .....231 Third St., Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-4415/(f) (601) 928-2114

Justice Court Judges
East
Jeffrey L. O'Neal .....231 Third St., Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-4415/(f) (601) 928-2114

West
Theresa Brown Dearman 231 Third St., Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-4415/(f) (601) 928-2114

Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
District 1
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District 2
Robert H. Williams .....P.O. Drawer 7, Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-5266/(f) (601) 928-6464

District 3
Bobby D. Parker .....P.O. Drawer 7, Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-5266/(f) (601) 928-6464

District 4
Wendell Patton, Sr. .....P.O. Drawer 7, Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-5266/(f) (601) 928-6464

District 5
Duncan Ray Hatten .....P.O. Drawer 7, Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-5266/(f) (601) 928-6464

Tax Assessor
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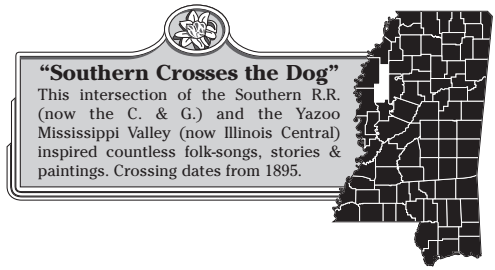
Tax Collector
Charles P. Williams, Jr. ... 308 Court St., Wiggins 39577 .....(601) 928-3121/(f) (601) 928-2507

SUNFLOWER COUNTY

County Seat: Indianola
Named for the Sunflower River
Formed: 1844
Area: 707.1 square miles
Population: 34,369


"Southern Crosses the Dog"
This intersection of the Southern R.R. (now the C. & G.) and the Yazoo Mississippi Valley (now Illinois Central) inspired countless folk-songs, stories & paintings. Crossing dates from 1895.

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Circuit Clerk
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South
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Coroner
Douglas Card . . . . . P.O. Box 287, Indianola 38751 . . . . . (662) 887-2611/(f) (662) 887-6830

County Prosecuting Attorney
Gary Austin . . . . . P.O. Box 1590, Indianola 38751 . . . . . (662) 887-5398/(f) (662) 887-1780

County Surveyor
Gardner Engineering . . . P.O. Drawer A, Indianola 38751 . . . . . (662) 887-1862/(f) (662) 887-1996

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . Paula D. Simmons . . . . . 193 Threeway Rd., Indianola 38751
District 2 . . . . . Eloise B. Harris . . . . . P.O. Box 1175, Indianola 38751
District 3 . . . . . Sam J. Ely, Jr. . . . . 640 N. Sunflower Ave. Ext., Indianola 38751
District 4 . . . . . Travis Earl Cooper . . . . . 996 Steiner Rd., Shaw 38773
District 5 . . . . . Anita Waldrup . . . . . 305 Shelby Dr., Drew 38737

Justice Court Clerks
North
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South
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Justice Court Judges
North
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Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
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District 2
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District 3
Dennis Wesley Holmes . .P.O. Box 946, Indianola 38751 . . . . . .(662) 887-4918/(f) (662) 887-4918

District 4
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District 5
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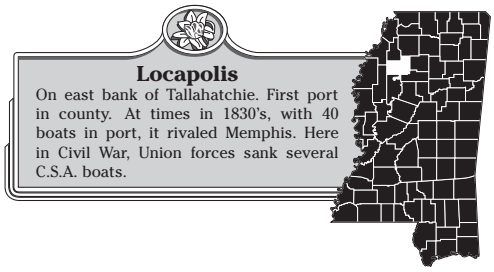
Tax Collector
Carolyn E. Ray . . . . . .P.O. Box 1080, Indianola 38751 . . . . . .(662) 887-1454/(f) (662) 887-7423

TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY

County Seats: Charleston and Sumner
Named for Indian word meaning "rock river"
Formed: 1833
Area: 651.9 square miles
Population: 14,903


Locapolis
On east bank of Tallahatchie. First port in county. At times in 1830's, with 40 boats in port, it rivaled Memphis. Here in Civil War, Union forces sank several C.S.A. boats.

Board Attorney
Thomas Reynolds . . . . .P.O. Box 220, Charleston 38921 . . . . . .(662) 647-3203/(f) (662) 647-2811

Chancery Clerks
First Judicial
Anita Mullen Fountain . .P.O. Box 350, Charleston 38921 . . . . . .(662) 647-5551/(f) (662) 647-3702

Second Judicial
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Circuit Clerks
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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District 2
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Coroner
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District 3 . . . . . .Wayne Buchanan . . . . . .P.O. Box 5, Cascilla 38920
District 4 . . . . . .Rachel Scurlock . . . . . .Rt. 2 Box 149, Charleston 38921
District 5 . . . . . .Charles Huddleston . . . . . .P.O. Box 296, Tutwiler 38963

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Second Judicial
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District 2
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Sheriffs
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Second Judicial
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Supervisors
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District 2
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District 3
Morris E. (Buddy) Ross .Rt. 1 Box 275, Charleston 38921 .....(662) 647-2075/(f) (662) 647-8490

District 4
Bobby Banks .....Rt. 1 Box 90, Philipp 38950 .....(662) 658-4510/(f) (662) 647-8490

District 5
Jerome G. Little .....P.O. Box 860, Webb 38966 .....(662) 345-6375/(f) (662) 647-8490

Tax Assessors
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Second Judicial
Dorothy M. Martin .....P.O. Box 87, Sumner 38957 .....(662) 375-8386/(f) (662) 375-7252

Tax Collectors
First Judicial
Dorothy M. Martin .....P.O. Box 307, Charleston 38921 .....(662) 647-8922/(f) (662) 647-8490

Second Judicial
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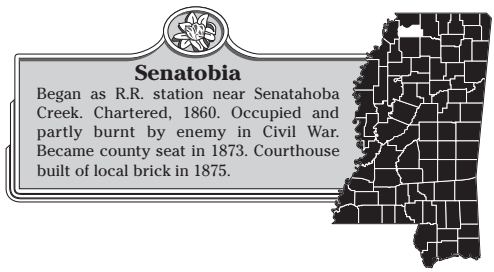
TATE COUNTY

County Seat: Senatobia
Named for T.S. Tate, pioneer settler
Formed: 1873
Area: 410.8 square miles
Population: 25,370


Senatobia
Began as R.R. station near Senatahoba Creek. Chartered, 1860. Occupied and partly burnt by enemy in Civil War. Became county seat in 1873. Courthouse built of local brick in 1875.

Board Attorney
John T. Lamar .....214 S. Ward, Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-6537/(f) (662) 562-4858

Chancery Clerk
Wayne Crockett .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

Circuit Clerk
Eddie Hadskey .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5211/(f) (662) 562-7486

Constables
Post 1
Kenneth Lentz .....2877 Bend Rd., Coldwater 38618 .....(662) 562-7626/(f) (662) 562-7663

Post 2
Jerry Nelson .....534 Powell Rd., Coldwater 38618 .....(662) 562-7626/(f) (662) 562-7663

Coroner
Thomas P. Kizziah .....P.O. Box 247, Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-4481/(f) (662) 562-5655

County Prosecuting Attorney
David E. Adams .....P.O. Box 562, Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-8284/(f) (662) 562-8285

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Mary Rhodes .....8781 Browns Ferry Rd., Senatobia 38618
District 2 .....Kathryn Eddins .....1631 Arkabutla Rd., Coldwater 38618
District 3 .....Gloria Sipp .....P.O. Box 599, Coldwater 38618
District 4 .....Mary K. White .....5210 Lyles Rd., Senatobia 38668
District 5 .....Ellis Blount .....6107 Hwy. 305, Coldwater 38618

Justice Court Clerk
Mary McAbee .....103 Preston McKay Dr., Senatobia 38668 ...(662) 562-7626/(f) (662) 562-7663

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Cecil C. Cole, Jr. .....103 Preston McKay Dr., Senatobia 38668 ...(662) 562-7626/(f) (662) 562-7663

Post 2
Albert Embrey .....103 Preston McKay Dr., Senatobia 38668 ...(662) 562-7626/(f) (662) 562-7663

Sheriff
W. Shelton Ingram .....1 Justice Dr., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-4434/(f) (662) 562-9236

Superintendent of Education
Gary W. Walker .....107 Court St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5861/(f) (662) 562-8516

Supervisors
District 1
Cam Walker .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

District 2
Mike Campbell .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

District 3
James B. Sowell .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

District 4
Cecil Gene Howell .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

District 5
Bill Burford .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-5661/(f) (662) 560-6205

Tax Assessor
Ed Taylor .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-6011/(f) (662) 562-7486

Tax Collector
Sue Spier .....201 Ward St., Senatobia 38668 .....(662) 562-4404/(f) (662) 562-7486

TIPPAH COUNTY

County Seat: Ripley
Named for Indian word meaning "cut off"
Formed: 1836
Area: 459.9 square miles
Population: 20,826

Blue Mountain College
Founded by General M.P. Lowrey in 1873. Named for hill 1/2 mile northwest of this spot. In 1918, the Lowrey and Berry families gave college properties to state Baptist Convention.

Board Attorney
Randy Fortier .....108 Jefferson St., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-9976/(f) (662) 837-1009

Chancery Clerk
Daniel Shackelford .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-7374/(f) (662) 837-7148

Circuit Clerk
James E. Dees .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-7370/(f) (662) 837-1030

Constables
North
Dick Koster .....205-B Spring Ave., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8842/(f) (662) 837-1398

South
Keith Bullock .....205-B Spring Ave., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8842/(f) (662) 837-1398

Coroner
David Hubbard .....701 CR 418, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-4553/(f) (662) 837-1030

County Prosecuting Attorney
Richard Babb .....105 E. Spring St., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8175/(f) (662) 837-3155

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....S.A. Tapp .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663
District 2 .....James Huddleston .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663
District 3 .....Boone Shelton .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663
District 4 .....Roy Hodges .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663
District 5 .....Herman A. Smith .....102-A N. Main, Ripley 38663

Justice Court Clerk
Lisa McCoy .....205-B Spring Ave., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8842/(f) (662) 837-1398

Justice Court Judges
North
Jerome Brown .....205-B Spring Ave., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8842/(f) (662) 837-1398

Southern District
Kevin Hall .....205-B Spring Ave., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-8842/(f) (662) 837-1398

Sheriff
Brandon Vance .....205 W. Spring St., Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-9336/(f) (662) 837-1191

Superintendents of Education
North
Junior Wooten .....P.O. Box 65, Tiplersville 38674 .....(662) 223-4384/(f) (662) 223-5379

South
Larry Robbins .....P.O. Box 439, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-7156/(f) (662) 837-1362

Supervisors
District 1
Jimmy W. Gunn .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-3655/(f) (662) 837-1105

District 2
Gerald Brock .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-3655/(f) (662) 837-1105

District 3
Ronnie Dunnam .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-3655/(f) (662) 837-1105

District 4
Dennis Grisham .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-3655/(f) (662) 837-1105

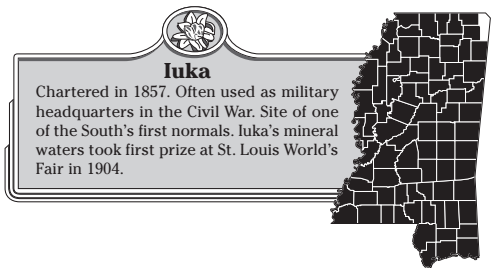
District 5
F.L. Spud Rowell .....P.O. Box 99, Ripley 38663 .....(662) 837-3655/(f) (662) 837-1105

Tax Assessor
Rhonda Reno .....Tippah County Courthouse, Ripley 38663 ..(662) 837-9956/(f) (662) 837-9138

Tax Collector
Joe Larry Shackelford ...Tippah County Courthouse, Ripley 38663 ..(662) 837-9410/(f) (662) 837-1193

TISHOMINGO COUNTY

County Seat: Iuka
Named for Indian word meaning "warrior chief"
Formed: 1836
Area: 444.6 square miles
Population: 19,163


Iuka
Chartered in 1857. Often used as military headquarters in the Civil War. Site of one of the South's first normals. Iuka's mineral waters took first prize at St. Louis World's Fair in 1904.

Board Attorney
Nicholas B. Phillips .....P.O. Box 566, Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-1989/(f) (662) 423-0089

Chancery Clerk
Hayden Ables .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

Circuit Clerk
Donna Henry Dill .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7026/(f) (662) 423-1667

Constables
North
Tim Bivins .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7033/(f) (662) 423-7050

South
Jeff Kemp .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7033/(f) (662) 423-7050

Coroner
Mack Wilemon .....1804 Independence Sq., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-5222/(f) (662) 423-7093

County Prosecuting Attorney
Nicholas B. Phillips .....P.O. Box 566, Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-1989/(f) (662) 423-0089

County Surveyor
Wayne Lambert .....118 Turnpike Mt. Rd., Burnsville 38833 .....(662) 427-8479

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Arthur Bonds .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852
District 2 .....Jeff Wilemon .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852
District 3 .....Sherry Gwatney .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852
District 4 .....David Rushing .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852
District 5 .....Ronald Deaton .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852

Justice Court Clerk
Nancy Dexter .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7033/(f) (662) 423-7050

Justice Court Judges
North
Billy Glover, Jr. .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7033/(f) (662) 423-7050

South
Donny Joe Sparks .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7033/(f) (662) 423-7050

Sheriff
Glenn Whitlock .....1111 Maria Ln., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7000/(f) (662) 423-9712

Superintendent of Education
John B. Moore .....1620 Paul Edmondson Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-3206/(f) (662) 423-7313

Supervisors
District 1
Dale Price .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

District 2
Arlie L. South .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

District 3
Danny C. Ryan .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

District 4
David Sanders .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

District 5
Leon Cook .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7010/(f) (662) 423-7005

Tax Assessor
Diana Hester Turner ....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7059/(f) (662) 423-9544

Tax Collector
Paul F. Whitlock .....1008 Battleground Dr., Iuka 38852 .....(662) 423-7048/(f) (662) 423-2388

TUNICA COUNTY

County Seat: Tunica
Named for Indian word meaning "little people"
Formed: 1836
Area: 480.7 square miles
Population: 9,227

Narrow Escape
The Courthouse of Tunica County was burned by Union forces during the Civil War. The only records that survived were those hidden in the cistern of the Courthouse by a few brave clerks.

Board Attorney
Andrew Dulaney .....P.O. Box 188, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2922/(f) (662) 363-2923

Chancery Clerk
Susie White .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2451/(f) (662) 357-5934

Circuit Clerk
Sharon Granberry .....P.O. Box 184, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2842/(f) (662) 363-2413

Constables
North
Jesse Clay .....5130 Old Mhoon Landing Rd., Tunica 38676 .(662) 363-2178/(f) (662) 363-4234

South
Lenard Conway .....5130 Old Mhoon Landing Rd., Tunica 38676 .(662) 363-2178/(f) (662) 363-4234

Coroner
Glenn D. Grant .....P.O. Box 2725, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-0134/(f) (662) 363-2693

County Engineer
Kenneth Murphy .....P.O. Box 639, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1465/(f) (662) 363-1294

County Prosecuting Attorney
Charles B. Graves, Jr. ....P.O. Box 1413, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-3100/(f) (662) 363-3174

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Jerlean McKay .....1071 James St., Robinsonville 38664
District 2 .....Eligah Williams .....P.O. Box 1156, Tunica 38676
District 3 .....Virginia (Tina) Brown .....1040 Cedar Dr., Tunica 38676
District 4 .....Tabitha McCoy .....P.O. Box 2573, Tunica 38676
District 5 .....Lloyd E. Ryals .....P.O. Box 7, Dundee 38626

Justice Court Clerk
Shirley Beshears .....5130 Old Mhoon Landing Rd., Tunica 38676 . .(662) 363-2178/(f) (662) 363-4234

Justice Court Judges
North
J. Ted Emmanuel .....5130 Old Mhoon Landing Rd., Tunica 38676 . .(662) 363-2178/(f) (662) 363-4234

South
Ellis W. Darby .....5130 Old Mhoon Landing Rd., Tunica 38676 . .(662) 363-2178/(f) (662) 363-4234

Sheriff
K.C. Hamp .....P.O. Box 25, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1411/(f) (662) 363-2593

Superintendent of Education
Jerry Gentry, Sr. .....P.O. Box 758, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2811/(f) (662) 363-3061

Supervisors
District 1
James Dunn .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1304/(f) (662) 357-5934

District 2
Cedric Burnette .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2173/(f) (662) 357-5934

District 3
Paul Battle III .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1304/(f) (662) 357-5934

District 4
Curtis Jackson .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-2265/(f) (662) 357-5934

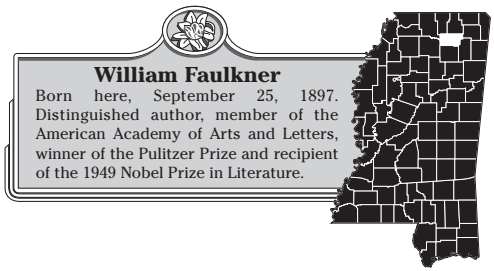
District 5
William Pegram .....P.O. Box 217, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1304/(f) (662) 357-5934

Tax Assessor
Betty Gayle Fields .....P.O. Box 655, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1266/(f) (662) 357-5933

Tax Collector
Betty Gayle Fields .....P.O. Box 655, Tunica 38676 .....(662) 363-1266/(f) (662) 363-2693

UNION COUNTY

County Seat: New Albany
Named for nickname of the United States
Formed: 1870
Area: 416.8 square miles
Population: 25,362


William Faulkner
Born here, September 25, 1897. Distinguished author, member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters, winner of the Pulitzer Prize and recipient of the 1949 Nobel Prize in Literature.

Board Attorney
Lester Sumners .....P.O. Drawer 730, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-6326/(f) (662) 534-1907

Chancery Clerk
Tom Cooper .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

Circuit Clerk
Phyllis Stanford .....P.O. Box 298, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1910/(f) (662) 534-2059

Constables
East Post
Jason McDaniel .....P.O. Box 27, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1951/(f) (662) 534-1935

West Post
David N. Garrison .....P.O. Box 27, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1951/(f) (662) 534-1935

Coroner
Mark Golding .....817 Jay St., New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1941/(f) (662) 534-2222

County Prosecuting Attorney
Joe Marshall Davis .....P.O. Drawer 29, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-6421/(f) (662) 534-0053

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Graham Spencer .....1528 CR 51, Myrtle 38650
District 2 .....Lanell Hudson .....502 Cherry Blvd, New Albany 38652
District 3 .....Frances Dunlap .....1628 CR 88, New Albany 38652
District 4 .....Mike Beam .....406 Reaves St., New Albany 38652
District 5 .....Wayne Wilhite .....1633 State Hwy. 9 N., Baldwin 38824

Justice Court Clerk
Tina H. Wood .....P.O. Box 27, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1951/(f) (662) 534-1935

Justice Court Judges
East
Ronnie Rakestraw .....P.O. Box 27, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1951/(f) (662) 534-1935

West
Robert Childers .....P.O. Box 27, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1951/(f) (662) 534-1935

Sheriff
Tommy Wilhite .....300 Carter Ave., New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1941/(f) (662) 534-1993

Superintendent of Education
John Weeden .....P.O. Box 939, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1960/(f) (662) 534-1961

Supervisors
District 1
James Byers .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

District 2
Sammy Coffey .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

District 3
Danny Jordan .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

District 4
Norman Treadaway .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

District 5
Benny Rakestraw .....P.O. Box 847, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1900/(f) (662) 534-1907

Tax Assessor
Dennis Rakestraw .....P.O. Box 862, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1972/(f) (662) 534-1971

Tax Collector
Dennis Rakestraw .....P.O. Box 862, New Albany 38652 .....(662) 534-1972/(f) (662) 534-1971

WALTHALL COUNTY

County Seat: Tylertown
Named for Edward C. Walthall,
Confederate General and U.S. Senator
Formed: 1910
Area: 404.3 square miles
Population: 15,156

China Grove Methodist Church
Present church built in 1854 at a cost of $100. China Grove Methodist Campground begun in 1878; first meeting September 24 - 30, 1879.

Board Attorney
Conrad Mord .....P.O Box 311, Tylertown 39667 .....(601) 876-2611/(f) (601) 876-6026

Chancery Clerk
Bob Bracey .....P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 .....(601) 876-3553/(f) (601) 876-6026

Circuit Clerk
Pat Ginn Broussard . . . . .200 Ball Ave., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-5677/(f) (601) 876-4077

Constables
District 1
Raymond Gutter . . . . . .P.O. Box 507, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-2311/(f) (601) 876-6866

District 2
Glen Hartzog . . . . . .P.O. Box 507, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-2311/(f) (601) 876-6866

Coroner
Shannon Hartzog . . . . . .35 Lowery Rd., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-9353/(f) (601) 876-6688

County Prosecuting Attorney
Mark Lampton . . . . . .P.O. Box 908, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-3116/(f) (601) 876-6338

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Ben Dillon . . . . . .35 Lower Lake Rd., Tylertown 38667
District 2 . . . . . .Frankie Booth . . . . . .1412 Lynn Dr., Tylertown 39667
District 3 . . . . . .Carolyn Louise Reagan . . . . . .58 Reagan Rd., Tylertown 39667
District 4 . . . . . .Joyce Bracey . . . . . .20 McKenzie Rd., Tylertown 39667
District 5 . . . . . .Wyonia (Y) Jackson . . . . . .711 Hwy. 98 W., Tylertown 39667

Justice Court Clerk
Sandra Schillings . . . . . .P.O. Box 507, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-2311/(f) (601) 876-6866

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Lionell Harrell . . . . . .P.O. Box 507, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-2311/(f) (601) 876-6866

District 2
Marion McKenzie . . . . . .P.O. Box 507, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-2311/(f) (601) 876-6866

Sheriff
Duane Dillon . . . . . .807 Magnolia Ave., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-3481/(f) (601) 876-6688

Superintendent of Education
Greg Ellzey . . . . . .814-A Morse Ave., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-3401/(f) (601) 876-6982

Supervisors
District 1
Larry Montgomery . . . . .P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4947/(f) (601) 876-6026

District 2
Kenneth Craft . . . . . .P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4947/(f) (601) 876-6026

District 3
Shelton Stogner . . . . . .P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4947/(f) (601) 876-6026

District 4
Travis Alford . . . . . .P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4947/(f) (601) 876-6026

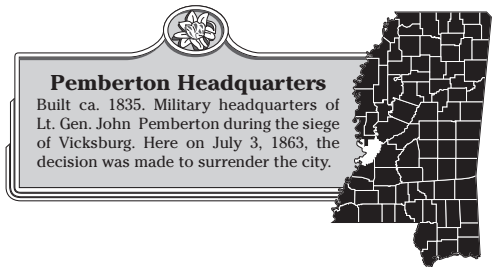
District 5
Clifton Pop Carr . . . . . .P.O. Box 351, Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4947/(f) (601) 876-6026

Tax Assessor
Louie Fortenberry . . . . . .200 Ball Ave., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4932/(f) (601) 876-9255

Tax Collector
Louie Fortenberry . . . . . .200 Ball Ave., Tylertown 39667 . . . . . .(601) 876-4932/(f) (601) 876-9255

WARREN COUNTY

County Seat: Vicksburg
Named for Joseph Warren, hero of the Revolutionary War
Formed: 1817
Area: 618.7 square miles
Population: 49,644


Pemberton Headquarters
Built ca. 1835. Military headquarters of Lt. Gen. John Pemberton during the siege of Vicksburg. Here on July 3, 1863, the decision was made to surrender the city.

Board Attorney
James R. Sherard .....1010 Monroe St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 636-1021/(f) (601) 636-1026

Chancery Clerk
Dot McGee .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 636-4415/(f) (601) 634-4815

Circuit Clerk
Shelly Ashley-Palmertree . .P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 636-3961/(f) (601) 630-4100

Constables
Central District
Rudolph Walker .....P.O. Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Northern District
Glenn McKay .....P.O. Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Southern District
John Henry Heggins . . . .P.O. Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Coroner
John Thomason .....P.O. Box 1140, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 636-7373/(f) (601) 636-7396

County Court Judge
John S. Price, Jr. .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 638-8026/(f) (601) 631-8816

County Prosecuting Attorney
W. Richard Johnson . . . . .2703 Clay St., Vicksburg 39183 .....(601) 629-9343/(f) (601) 636-1563

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Johnny Brewer .....300 Willow Creek Dr., Vicksburg 39180
District 2 .....Retha Summers .....619 Locust St., Vicksburg 39180
District 3 .....Patricia A. Read .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181
District 4 .....Bill Lauderdale .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181
District 5 .....Gordon Carr .....#3 Forest Hill Cir., Vicksburg 39180

Justice Court Clerk
Carla Fields .....P.O. Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Justice Court Judges
Central District
Richard Bradford III . . . .P.O, Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Northern District
Edwin Woods, Jr. .....P.O. Box 1598, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-6402/(f) (601) 634-8015

Southern District
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Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
District 1
David McDonald .....913 Jackson St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-8073/(f) (601) 636-8020

District 2
Michael Mayfield .....913 Jackson St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-8073/(f) (601) 636-8020

District 3
Charles Selmon .....913 Jackson St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-8073/(f) (601) 636-8020

District 4
Carl Flanders .....913 Jackson St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-8073/(f) (601) 636-8020

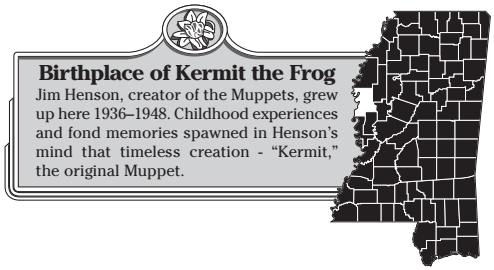
District 5
Richard George .....913 Jackson St., Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 634-8073/(f) (601) 630-8020

Tax Assessor
Richard Holland .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 636-6161/(f) (601) 630-8034

Tax Collector
Patricia Simrall .....P.O. Box 351, Vicksburg 39181 .....(601) 638-6181/(f) (601) 636-5093

WASHINGTON COUNTY

County Seat: Greenville
Named for President George Washington
Formed: 1827
Area: 761.2 square miles
Population: 62,977


Birthplace of Kermit the Frog
Jim Henson, creator of the Muppets, grew up here 1936–1948. Childhood experiences and fond memories spawned in Henson's mind that timeless creation - "Kermit," the original Muppet.

Board Attorney
Willie Griffin .....P.O. Box 189, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 335-1966/(f) (662) 335-1969

Chancery Clerk
Marilyn Hansell .....P.O. Box 309, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 332-1595/(f) (662) 334-2725

Circuit Clerk
Janice Brown .....P.O. Box 1276, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 378-2747/(f) (662) 334-2698

Constables
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District 2
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District 3
Sylvia Sessums .....905 W. Alexander, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 332-0633/(f) (662) 390-4760

Coroner
George Hampton .....1792 Northview Dr., Greenville 38701 .....(662) 379-2450/(f) (662) 335-8410

County Court Judge
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County Prosecuting Attorney
Robert Evans .....128 S. Poplar, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 378-2171/(f) (662) 335-9049

County Surveyor
Marcus Hooker .....P.O. Box 368, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 334-1865/(f) (662) 334-1871

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Linda Boschert .....105 Gregory St., Greenville 38701
District 2 .....Bob Jones .....P.O. Box 5937, Greenville 38701
District 3 .....Pearlie Holmes .....1070 Duncan Dr., Greenville 38701
District 4 .....Sadie Seard .....405 N. Abraham St., Greenville 38701
District 5 .....Bettye Wilson .....806 Truman St., Hollandale 38748

Justice Court Clerk
Brenda Lawrence .....905 W. Alexander, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 332-0633/(f) (662) 390-4760

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Laverne Holmes .....905 W. Alexander, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 332-0633/(f) (662) 390-4760

District 2
Bernadine S. Young .....905 W. Alexander, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 332-0633/(f) (662) 390-4760

District 3
Betty DeVane .....905 W. Alexander, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 332-0633/(f) (662) 390-4760

Sheriff
Milton M. Gaston .....P.O. Box 786, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 334-4523/(f) (662) 334-2764

Supervisors
District 1
Paul Watson, Jr. .....111 Bayou Oak Cir., Greenville 38702 .....(662) 378-8355/(f) (662) 332-4452

District 2
Mike Gordon .....P.O. Box 158, Greenville 38701 .....(662) 378-8355/(f) (662) 332-4452

District 3
Alfred Rankins, Sr. .....1032 Meadow Dr., Greenville 38701 .....(662) 378-8355/(f) (662) 332-4452

District 4
Mark K. Seard .....236 Nevada St., Greenville 38701 .....(662) 378-8555/(f) (662) 332-4452

District 5
Dorothy Buchanon .....P.O. Box 158, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 378-8355/(f) (662) 332-4452

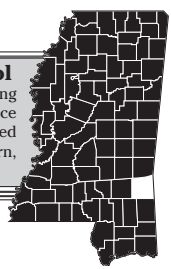
Tax Assessor
John M. Greco .....591 Wildwood Dr., Greenville 38702 .....(662) 334-2651/(f) (662) 334-2786

Tax Collector
Patricia Ann Lee .....P.O. Box 9, Greenville 38702 .....(662) 378-2922/(f) (662) 334-2730

WAYNE COUNTY

County Seat: Waynesboro
Named for General Anthony Wayne, hero of the American Revolution
Formed: 1817
Area: 813.4 square miles
Population: 21,216

Wayne Co. Ag. High School
Open here from 1911 to 1938 offering education, work, and practical experience to the rural youth of the county. Boasted classrooms, dorms, dairy herd and barn, and cultivated fields.



Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Marlon West .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-2873/(f) (601) 735-6224

Circuit Clerk
Rose M. Bingham .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-1171/(f) (601) 735-6261

Constables
Post 1
Billy Bonner .....810 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-3118/(f) (601) 735-6266

Post 2
Jimmy Bunch .....810 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-3118/(f) (601) 735-6266

Coroner
David L. Pugh .....195 Oakwood Pl., Waynesboro 39367 .....(601) 735-4612/(f) (601) 735-6409

County Prosecuting Attorney
Martha G. Love .....603 Wayne St., Waynesboro 39367 .....(601) 735-6240/(f) (601) 735-6241

County Surveyor
Thomas S. Walker .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-9097/(f) (601) 735-6261

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Evon Harris .....1950 BCC Rd., Buckatunna 39322
District 2 .....Sybil Taylor .....914 Jordan Sumrall Rd., Buckatunna 39322
District 3 .....Helen Evans .....944 Coyt Rd., Waynesboro 39367
District 4 .....John T. Mozingo .....360 Mozingo Richey Rd., Waynesboro 39367
District 5 .....Imogene Walley .....0484 Big Creek Rd., Waynesboro 39367

Justice Court Clerk
Georgia Vaughn .....810 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ..(601) 735-3118/(f) (601) 735-6266

Justice Court Judges
Post 1
Charles Britton, Sr. .....810 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3118/(f) (601) 735-6266

Post 2
Jane Hutto .....810 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3118/(f) (601) 735-6266

Sheriff
John Stein Farrior .....P.O. Drawer 311, Waynesboro 39367 .....(601) 735-2323/(f) (601) 735-6262

Superintendent of Education
R.P. Stratten .....610 Chickasawhay St., Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-4871/(f) (601) 735-4872

Supervisors
District 1
Clyde Revette .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3414/(f) (601) 735-6248

District 2
Fred Andrews .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3414/(f) (601) 735-6248

District 3
Jerry Hutto .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3614/(f) (601) 735-6248

District 4
Larry Martin .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3414/(f) (601) 735-6248

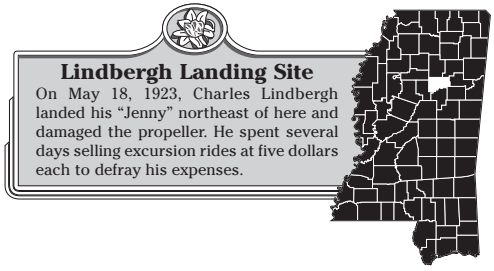
District 5
Gaston D. Hutcherson ..Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3414/(f) (601) 735-6248

Tax Assessor
Jean Holley Pitts .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3381/(f) (601) 735-6272

Tax Collector
Jean Holley Pitts .....Courthouse, 609 Azalea, Waynesboro 39367 ...(601) 735-3381/(f) (601) 735-6272

WEBSTER COUNTY

County Seat: Walthall
Named for Daniel Webster, early American statesman
Formed: 1874
Area: 423.2 square miles
Population: 10,294


Lindbergh Landing Site
On May 18, 1923, Charles Lindbergh landed his "Jenny" northeast of here and damaged the propeller. He spent several days selling excursion rides at five dollars each to defray his expenses.

Board Attorney
Buchanan Meek, Jr. .....P.O. Box 555, Eupora 39744 .....(662) 258-3521/(f) (662) 258-6657

Chancery Clerk
Russell S. Turner .....P.O. Box 398, Walthall 39771 .....(662) 258-4131/(f) (662) 258-7686

Circuit Clerk
Deborah Hood Neal . . . .P.O. Box 308, Walthall 39771 . . . . . .(662) 258-6287/(f) (662) 258-7686

Constables
District 1
David P. Murphy . . . . . .114 Hwy. 9 N., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-2590/(f) (662) 258-3093

District 2
Jeff McMinn . . . . . .114 Hwy. 9 N., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 263-4664/(f) (662) 258-3093

Coroner
James S. (Steve) Wells . . .P.O. Box 45, Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-6221/(f) (662) 258-7138

County Prosecuting Attorney
Jacqueline Gary Smith . .Veterans Memorial Blvd., Eupora 39744 . .(662) 258-5505/(f) (662) 258-5233

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Earlie A. Dumas . . . . . .P.O. Box 485, Eupora 39744
District 2 . . . . . .Vera Curry . . . . . .P.O. Box 100, Eupora 39744
District 3 . . . . . .Etoile Herrod . . . . . .Rt. 1 Box 44, Eupora 39744
District 4 . . . . . .Ann Walls . . . . . .P.O. Box 220, Maben 39750
District 5 . . . . . .Lucille Glasson . . . . . .Rt. 1 Box 4B, Mantee 39751

Justice Court Clerk
Janice Brunty . . . . . .114 Hwy. 9 N., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-2590/(f) (662) 258-3093

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Jerry Jones . . . . . .114 Hwy. 9 N., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-2590/(f) (662) 258-3093

District 2
Rebecca E. Ellison . . . . . .114 Hwy. 9 N., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-2590/(f) (662) 258-3093

Sheriff
Reuben McCluskey . . . . .321 E. Gould St., Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-7701/(f) (662) 258-6069

Superintendent of Education
Jimmy O. Pittman . . . . . .P.O. Box 887, Eupora 39744 . . . . . .(662) 258-5921/(f) (662) 258-3134

Supervisors
District 1
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District 2
W. Mart Salley, Jr. . . . . .P.O. Box 398, Walthall 39771 . . . . . .(662) 258-4131/(f) (662) 258-6657

District 3
Lynn Lamb . . . . . .P.O. Box 398, Walthall 39771 . . . . . .(662) 258-4131/(f) (662) 258-6657

District 4
Larry E. Crowley . . . . . .P.O. Box 398, Walthall 39771 . . . . . .(662) 258-4131/(f) (662) 258-6657

District 5
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Tax Collector
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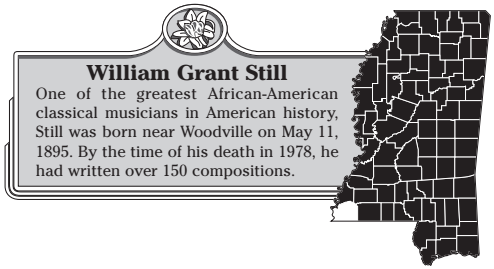
WILKINSON COUNTY

County Seat: Woodville
Named for General James Wilkinson
Formed: 1817
Area: 687.8 square miles
Population: 10,312



William Grant Still
One of the greatest African-American classical musicians in American history, Still was born near Woodville on May 11, 1895. By the time of his death in 1978, he had written over 150 compositions.

Board Attorney
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Circuit Clerk
Mon Cree Allen .....P.O. Box 327, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-6697/(f) (601) 888-6984

Constables
East
Jessie W. Stewart .....P.O. Box 40, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-3538/(f) (601) 888-6776

West
Chilly Willie Thompson .P.O. Box 40, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-3538/(f) (601) 888-6776

Coroner
Travis Sharp .....P.O. Box 1141, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-6730/(f) (601) 888-6984

County Prosecuting Attorney
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Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Chantel McMorris .....P.O. Box 1490, Woodville 39669
District 2 .....Robert Arbuthnott .....650 Locust Hill Rd., Woodville 39669
District 3 .....Jerrie Love .....P.O. Box 731, Centerville 39631
District 4 .....Laverne D. Poole .....P.O. Box 1675, Woodville 39669
District 5 .....Frances Felter .....9039 Hwy. 563, Crosby 39633

Justice Court Clerk
Wanda Fountain .....P.O. Box 40, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-3538/(f) (601) 888-6776

Justice Court Judges
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West
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Sheriff
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Superintendent of Education
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Supervisors
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District 2
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District 3
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District 4
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District 5
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Tax Assessor
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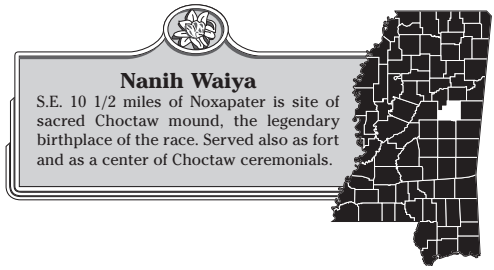
Tax Collector
Wevlyn I. James .....P.O. Box 695, Woodville 39669 .....(601) 888-4562/(f) (601) 888-7335

WINSTON COUNTY

County Seat: Louisville
Named for Louis Winston,
distinguished citizen of Mississippi
Formed: 1833
Area: 610 square miles
Population: 20,160


Nanih Waiya
S.E. 10 1/2 miles of Noxapater is site of sacred Choctaw mound, the legendary birthplace of the race. Served also as fort and as a center of Choctaw ceremonials.

Board Attorney
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Chancery Clerk
Pam B. Reel .....P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-3631/(f) (662) 773-8825

Circuit Clerk
Kim T. Ming .....P.O. Drawer 785, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-3581/(f) (662) 773-7192

Constables
East
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West
Charlie L. Black .....P.O. Box 327, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-6016/(f) (662) 773-8817

Coroner
Scott Gregory .....12902 Hwy. 397, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 779-0390

County Prosecuting Attorney
James C. Mayo .....P.O. Box 509, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 779-0390

Election Commissioners
District 1 .....Lisa Blalock Watson .....P.O. Drawer 785, Louisville 39339
District 2 .....Dell Gillett .....P.O. Drawer 785, Louisville 39339
District 3 .....Willie Dean Miller .....107 High Ave., Louisvile 39339
District 4 .....Mattie Cooper .....130 Martin Luther King Dr., Louisville 39339
District 5 .....Mary Reed .....607 John Russell Rd., Noxapater 39346

Justice Court Clerk
Nadine Estes .....P.O. Box 327, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-6016/(f) (662) 773-8817

Justice Court Judges
East
Mike Fuller .....P.O. Box 327, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-6016/(f) (662) 773-8817

West
Robert A. Beck .....P.O. Box 327, Louisville 39339 .....(601) 773-6016/(f) (601) 773-8817

Sheriff
Walter Coburn .....P.O. Box 927, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-5495/(f) (662) 773-8831

Superintendent of Education
Harold D. Kemp .....P.O. Box 909, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-3411/(f) (662) 773-4013

Supervisors
District 1
Jerry C. Estes .....P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 .....(662) 773-7170/(f) (662) 773-8825

District 2
Luke Lamar Parkes . . . . .P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-7170/(f) (662) 773-8825

District 3
Tom Blalock . . . . . .P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-7170/(f) (662) 773-8825

District 4
Lamar Turnipseed . . . . . .P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-7170/(f) (662) 773-8825

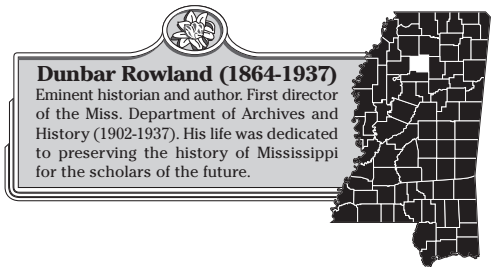
District 5
Lamar Clark . . . . . .P.O. Drawer 69, Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-7170/(f) (662) 773-8825

Tax Assessor
Brenda C. Miles . . . . . .201 S. Court St., Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-3694/(f) (662) 773-8816

Tax Collector
Brenda C. Miles . . . . . .201 S. Court St., Louisville 39339 . . . . . .(662) 773-3694/(f) (662) 773-8816

YALOBUSHA COUNTY

County Seats: Coffeeville and Water Valley
Named for Indian word meaning "tadpole place"
Formed: 1833
Area: 494.8 square miles
Population: 13,051


Dunbar Rowland (1864-1937)
Eminent historian and author. First director of the Miss. Department of Archives and History (1902-1937). His life was dedicated to preserving the history of Mississippi for the scholars of the future.

Board Attorney
John J. Crow, Jr. . . . . .203 Wagner St., Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-1870/(f) (662) 473-2030

Chancery Clerks
First Judicial
Amy McMinn . . . . . .P.O. Box 260, Coffeeville 38922 . . . . . .(662) 675-2716/(f) (662) 675-8004

Second Judicial
Amy McMinn . . . . . .P.O. Box 664, Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-2091/(f) (662) 473-3622

Circuit Clerks
First Judicial
Daryl Burney . . . . . .P.O. Box 260, Coffeeville 38922 . . . . . .(662) 675-8187/(f) (662) 675-8004

Second Judicial
Daryl Burney . . . . . .P.O. Box 1431, Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-1341/(f) (662) 473-5020

Constables
District 1
Charles Calder . . . . . .30980 CR 82, Coffeeville 38922 . . . . . .(662) 675-8642/(f) (662) 675-8452

District 2
Randy Simmons . . . . . .713 Blackmur Dr., Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-2732/(f) (662) 473-5020

Coroner
Yolanda Holmes . . . . . .P.O. Box 503, Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-2089/(f) (662) 473-5020

County Prosecuting Attorney
J. Katharine Ward . . . . . .497 CR 99, Water Valley 38965 . . . . . .(662) 473-4564/(f) (662) 473-3622

Election Commissioners
District 1 . . . . . .Steve Cummings . . . . . .P.O. Box 610, Coffeeville 38922
District 2 . . . . . .Missy Kimzey . . . . . .4344 Hwy. 315, Water Valley 38965
District 3 . . . . . .Robert Chandler . . . . . .3960 CR 91, Water Valley 38965
District 4 . . . . . .Ora Fay Polk . . . . . .5052 CR 227, Coffeeville 38922
District 5 . . . . . .June Byford . . . . . .12938 Hwy. 330 E., Coffeeville 38922

Justice Court Clerks
District 1
Carol Wilbourn .....P.O. Box 218, Coffeeville 38922 .....(662) 675-8115/(f) (662) 675-8452

District 2
Doris Shaw .....P.O. Box 272, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-4502/(f) (662) 473-5020

Justice Court Judges
District 1
Gary L. Tippit .....P.O. Box 218, Coffeeville 38922 .....(662) 675-8115/(f) (662) 675-8452

District 2
Steve Riley .....P.O. Box 272, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-4502/(f) (662) 473-5020

Sheriffs
First Judicial
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Second Judicial
Steve Shuffield .....P.O. Box 166, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-2722/(f) (662) 473-4640

Supervisors
District 1
Tommy Vaughn .....749 CR 97, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-3210/(f) (662) 473-3622

District 2
Amos Sims .....711 CR 15, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-4006/(f) (662) 473-3622

District 3
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District 5
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Second Judicial
Linda Rae Shuffield .....P.O. Box 1552, Water Valley 38965 .....(662) 473-1235/(f) (662) 473-5020

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First Judicial
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Second Judicial
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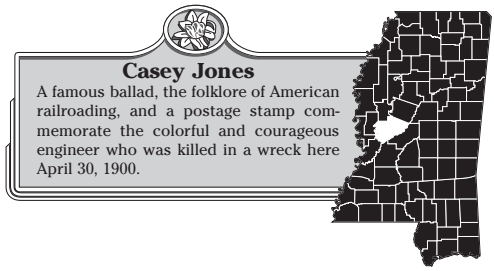
YAZOO COUNTY

County Seat: Yazoo City
Named for Indian word meaning "river of death"
Formed: 1823
Area: 933.9 square miles
Population: 28,149


Casey Jones
A famous ballad, the folklore of American railroading, and a postage stamp commemorate the colorful and courageous engineer who was killed in a wreck here April 30, 1900.

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District 3 .....Gretta Winters .....629 W. 2nd St., Yazoo City 39194
District 4 .....Sylvia Vandevere .....4320 Eden Midway Rd., Yazoo City 39194
District 5 .....Phoebe Smith .....731 Lee Ave., Yazoo City 39194

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District 2
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District 4
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Mississippi Association of County Engineers

Mississippi Association of County Administrators/Comptrollers

Mississippi Association of County Board Attorneys

Mississippi Association of County Road Managers

Mississippi Sheriffs Association

The Mississippi Association of Supervisors developed in the early 1900s two self-funded insurance programs to provide an affordable and viable alternative to traditional health and workers' compensation insurance to counties.

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Mississippi Public Entity Employee Benefit Trust

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Planning and Development Districts

1. - Northeast MS PDD
2. - North Delta PDD
3. - Three Rivers PDD
4. - North Central PDD
5. - South Delta PDD
6. - Golden Triangle PDD
7. - Central MS PDD
8. - East Central PDD
9. - Southwest MS PDD
10. - Southern MS PDD

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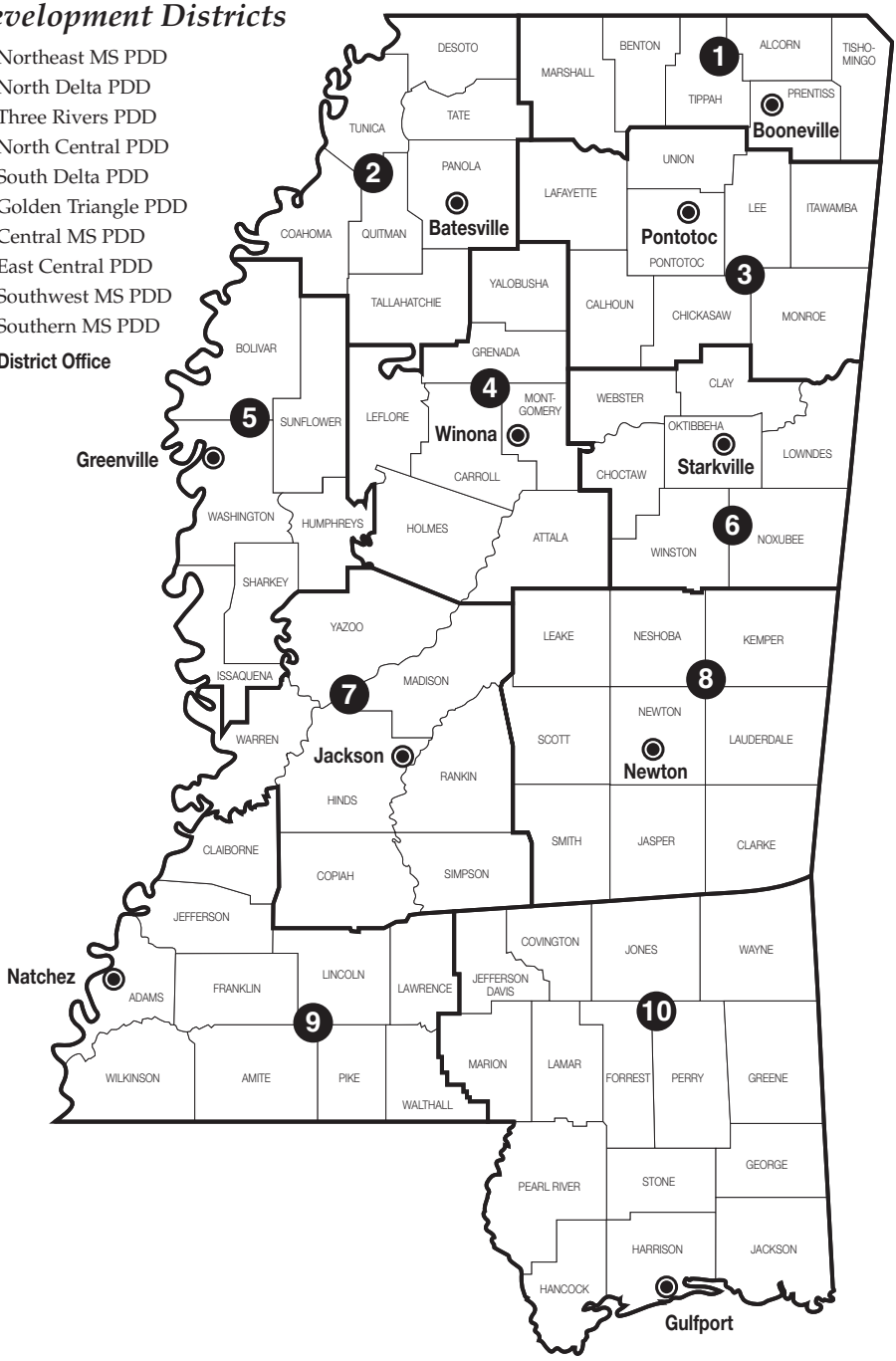
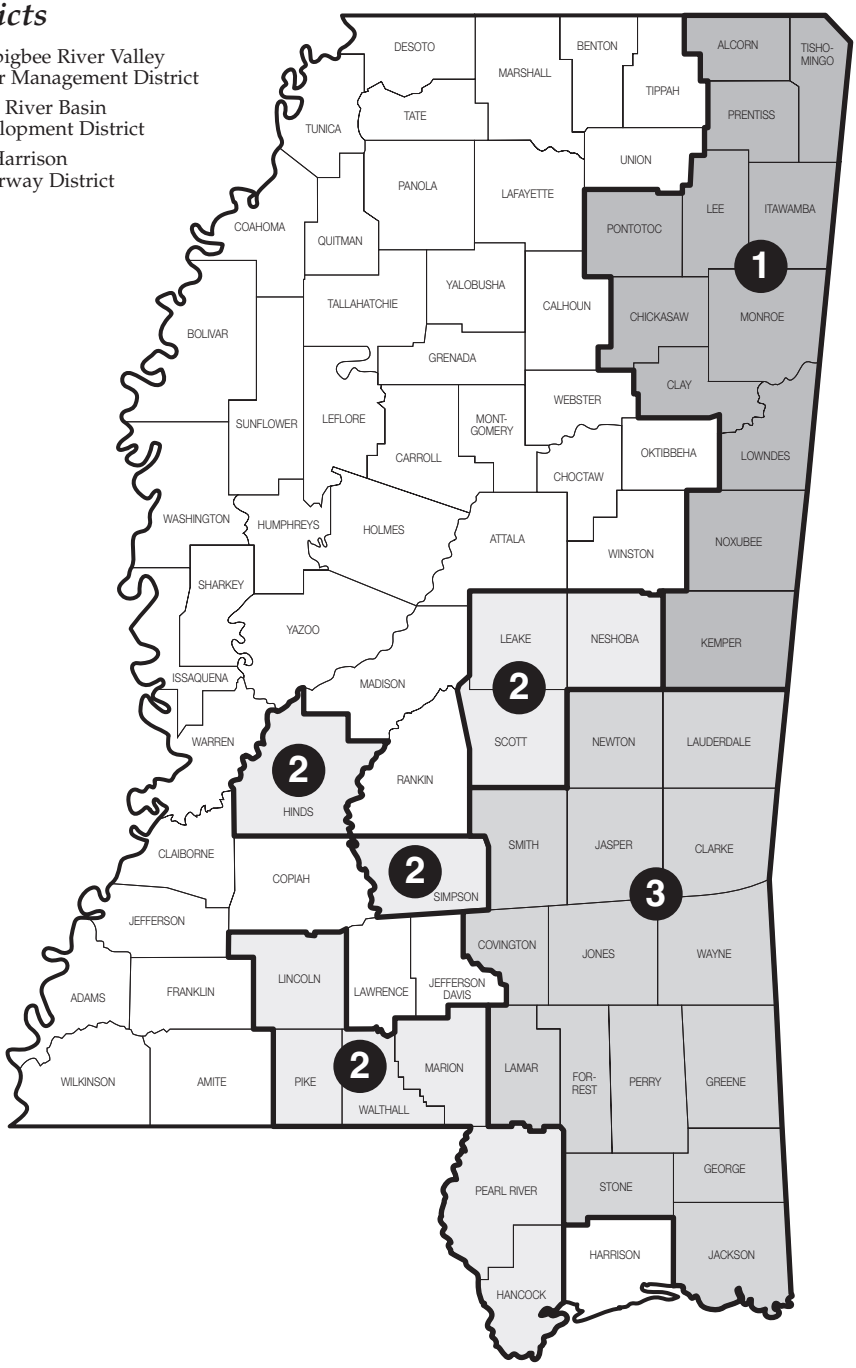


Water Development Districts

1. - Tombigbee River Valley Water Management District
2. - Pearl River Basin Development District
3. - Pat Harrison Waterway District



Municipal Government

"Some may think that one local voice
does not have much power,
but it's in the local cities and villages
that the people lead."

Mrs. Unita Blackwell
Mayor of Mayersville (1977-1997)

We have a people's government in this country, and the people's power is best exercised in their local municipalities. It is at this level that citizens can sit face-to-face with their elected officials – whether the citizens are "big fish" or "little fish" – and be heard.

Some may think that one local voice does not have much power; but it's through the local cities and towns that the people lead. They lead by joining their voices behind a common issue. Local initiatives stir up a whole group of folks. If three or four people on each of Mississippi's 296 municipal boards begin talking about an initiative, they represent more voices than there are votes in the state legislature. That's power.

When I was mayor of Mayersville, our town realized many accomplishments by mobilizing folks door to door. When our efforts did not meet with success, it was because the opposition was mobilizing from door to door, also. So, in a way, both sides of the issues recognized where the power lies. It's with the people. It's local.

No matter what level of government officials are elected to, when dealing with a question, initiative, or concern, they will often ask if the power of the people is behind it. Governors, Legislators, and even U.S. Presidents want to know if an issue has support on the local level before acting on behalf of the people. No level of government is closer to the people than that represented by our mayors, aldermen, councilmen, and commissioners. Municipal government is truly the people's government.

ESSAY BY UNITA BLACKWELL,
FORMER MAYOR OF MAYERSVILLE

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The City of Natchez, once a frontier outpost on the Mississippi River and later home to the largest group of millionaires in the United States, is Mississippi's oldest municipality having been incorporated March 10, 1803. Two days later, Port Gibson, a settlement just up the river, became the second community to incorporate.

The Town of Farmington in Alcorn County is Mississippi's newest municipality, having been incorporated September 9, 1997.

Today, Mississippi has 296 active municipalities including 103 cities, 171 towns, and 22 villages, according to the 2000 Census. State law classifies municipalities with more than 2,000 inhabitants as cities, those with fewer than 2,000 and not less than 300 inhabitants as towns, and those with fewer than 300 but not less than 100 inhabitants as villages. Municipalities change classification according to the results of each diennial Census.

The 2000 Census shows the capital city of Jackson as the largest municipality in Mississippi, with a population of 184,256, and the smallest as Learned, also in Hinds County, with a population of 50.

The census also identifies 32 communities as "Census Designated Places" (CDP's), which are statistical entities, defined for each decennial census according to Census Bureau guidelines. These areas comprise a densely settled concentration of population that is not within an incorporated place, but is locally identified by a name. CDP's are designated by state and local officials and the Census Bureau, following Census Bureau guidelines. Beginning with Census 2000 there are no size limits for CDP's.

Since 1803, some 588 Mississippi communities have incorporated, with 311 no longer being active municipalities. Only those areas with populations qualifying as either cities or towns (not villages) are now eligible for incorporation as municipalities.

Mississippi's CDP's and inactive municipalities are listed at the end of this section.

There are four types of municipal government in Mississippi, as described in Miss. Code Ann. Title 21 et seq. (1972):

- Commission Form of Government
- Council Form of Government
- Mayor Council Form of Government
- Council-Manager Form of Government

The most common government type is the Mayor-Council form of government, and most councils are called Boards of Aldermen.

Elected municipal officials usually include the mayor and governing board members, and, in some instances, police chiefs. Appointed officials often include city attorneys, municipal judges, and city clerks.

ABBEVILLE (Lafayette County) 423
Incorporated June 24, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 19, 38601
(662) 234-2322/(f) (662) 234-8519
Mayor: Betsy P. Aloway
Board of Aldermen: Karen Rushing, Craig Brummett, Donald Ward, Ronnie Williams, Jerry Hannie
City Attorney: John Helmert
Municipal Clerk: Shirley Baldwin
Municipal Judge: Frances E. Gordon

ABERDEEN (Monroe County) 6,415
Incorporated May 12, 1837
City Hall, 125 W. Commerce St., 39730
(662) 369-8588/(f) (662) 369-3103
Mayor: Cecil S. Belle
Board of Aldermen: Jim Buffington, Brunson Odom, Willie A. Cook, Alonzo Sykes, Cloyd Garth, Sr.
City Attorney: Robert H. Faulks
Municipal Clerk: Jackie Benson
Municipal Judges: Adrian Haynes, Jeffery Navarro, Robert Earl Fowlkes

ACKERMAN (Choctaw County) 1,696
Incorporated February 16, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 394, 39735
(662) 285-6251/(f) (662) 285-6909
Mayor: Bruce Burney
Board of Aldermen: Sheila L. Miller, George Rooks, Debby Curtis, Dale D. Reid, Carl Phelps
City Attorney: Joe Griffin
Municipal Clerk: Bobbye K. Webb
Municipal Judge: Buchanan Meek, Jr.

ALGOMA (Pontotoc County) 508
Incorporated September 14, 1987
City Hall, P.O. Box 110, 38820
(662) 489-3200/(f) (662) 489-5551
Mayor: Harry N. Corder
Board of Aldermen: Marion F. Wilson, Noel McWhirter, Landis Fair, Bill Brand, Brenda Foster
City Attorney: Phil Tutor
Municipal Clerk: Ann R. McDonald

ALLIGATOR (Bolivar County) 220
Incorporated July 9, 1927
City Hall, P.O. Box 26, 38720
(662) 624-5608/(f) (662) 624-5608
Mayor: Robert N. Fava, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Chewanda Butler, Dennis Jenkins, Sr., Jerry Mitchell, Ronnie Fava, Bruce Fava
City Attorney: Lee Graves
Municipal Clerk: Bruno Fava

AMORY (Monroe County) 6,956
Incorporated February 7, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Drawer 457, 38821-0457
(662) 256-5721/(f) (662) 256-6337
Mayor: Howard Boozer
Board of Aldermen: Peggie Wilkerson, Dan Rogers, John E. Darden, Glen Bingham, Tony Poss
City Attorney: John M. Creekmore
Municipal Clerk: Suzanne Carlisle Mobley
Municipal Judge: Michael Malski

ANGUILLA (Sharkey County) 907
Incorporated October 4, 1913
City Hall, P.O. Box 217, 38721
(662) 873-4978/(f) (662) 873-2478
Mayor: Merlin Richardson
Board of Aldermen: Larry Thomas, Phillip Kline, Russell Stewart, Kenneth Bolden, Bobby Stevens
City Attorney: Allan Woodard
Municipal Clerk: Manika Kelly
Municipal Judge: Treves Cooper

ARCOLA (Washington County) 563
Incorporated September 30, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 25, 38722
(662) 827-2063/(f) (662) 822-0451
Mayor: Clifton Harris
Board of Aldermen: Frederick Love, Johnnie B. Hansell, Lucille Bonney, Louise Simpson, Shelly Newell
City Attorney: Allen S. Woodard
Municipal Clerk: Amanda A. Scott
Municipal Judge: Laverne Holmes Carter

ARTESIA (Lowndes County) 498
Incorporated February 5, 1875
City Hall, P.O. Box 277, 39736
(662) 272-5104
Mayor: Jimmy Sanders
Board of Aldermen: Macarthur Hill, Annie Mildred Blutt, Hattie Sanders, Kathy Clay, Flora Stovall
City Attorney: Tim Hudson
Municipal Clerk: Teresa Sanders

ASHLAND (Benton County) 577
Incorporated March 8, 1871
City Hall, P.O. Box 246, 38603
(662) 224-6282/(f) (662) 224-8257
Mayor: William H. (Bill) Stone
Board of Aldermen: Bobby Miller, Shannon Wilburn, Billy Taylor, Fort D. Knighton, Sandra Gresham
City Attorney: John S. Farese
Municipal Clerk: Leigh Norris
Municipal Judge: Dwight Ward

BALDWYN (Lee and Prentiss Counties) 3,321
Incorporated April 1, 1861
City Hall, P.O. Box 40, 38824
(662) 365-2383/(f) (662) 365-2387
Mayor: Danny R. Horton
Board of Aldermen: Stephen Scales, Richard M. Kohlheim, Leonardo (Lee) Bowdry, Tammie C. Waters, Ronald Michael
City Attorney: M. Paul Haynes, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Lynda B. Conlee
Municipal Judge: William W. Smith

BASSFIELD (Jefferson Davis County) 315
Incorporated October 6, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 100, 39421
(601) 943-5424/(f) (601) 943-6243
Mayor: B.C. Blount
Board of Aldermen: Jerry Holland, Sandy Speights, Hester Easterling, Pat Courtney, Johnny Kerley
City Attorney: B.J. Garraway
Municipal Clerk: Brenda Saulters
Municipal Judge: Jeff Stewart

BATESVILLE (Panola County) 7,113
Incorporated August 10, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 689, 38606
(662) 563-4576/(f) (662) 563-6622
Mayor: Jerry Autrey
Board of Aldermen: William Dugger, Bobbie Pounders, James A. Yelton, Teddy Morrow, Rufus Manley
City Attorney: Richard T. Phillips/Colmon Shinn Mitchell
Municipal Clerk: Rene Hubbard
Municipal Judge: William H. McKenzie III

BAY SPRINGS (Jasper County) 2,097
Incorporated March 10, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 307, 39422
(601) 764-4112/(f) 601-764-4110
Mayor: J.E. (Evon) Smith
Board of Aldermen: Steve Breland, Mike Lucas, James L. Nix, Donny E. Jones, Bob Cook
City Attorney: R.K. Houston, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Tim McRee
Municipal Judges: Thomas Q. Brame, Jr.

BAY ST. LOUIS (Hancock County) 8,209
Incorporated February 22, 1882
City Hall, P.O. Box 2550, 39521
(228) 467-9092/(f) (228) 467-3905
Mayor: Edward A. Favre
Board of Aldermen: Jeffrey J. Reed, William E. Taylor, James C. Thriffley III, Doug Seal, Bobby Compretta
City Attorney: John Scafidi
Municipal Clerk: Robert J. Parker
Municipal Judge: George H. Lipscomb, Jr.

BEAUMONT (Perry County) 977
Incorporated August 5, 1955
City Hall, P.O. Box 605, 39423
(601) 784-3352/(f) (601) 784-3352
Mayor: Leon Small
Board of Aldermen: S.M. Penton, Marvin Freeman, James Ward Sheffield, Donald (Bert) Hartfield, John K. Breland
City Attorney: Robert Shepard
Municipal Clerk: Tammy Eubanks
Municipal Judge: James V. Poe

BEAUREGARD (Copiah County) 265
Incorporated November 21, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 427, 39191
(601) 643-0020
Mayor: Linda F. Harris
Board of Aldermen: Natalie Miller, Tavis Clay, Wunchunz Butler, Aldred Motley
City Attorney: Dorothy Smith

BELMONT (Tishomingo County) 1,961
Incorporated January 22, 1908
City Hall, P.O. Box 489, 38827
(662) 454-3381/(f) (662) 454-7543
Mayor: Robert H. Yarber
Board of Aldermen: Greg Pharr, Max Ray Hutcheson, Robert Hester, Buddy Wiltshire, Steve Smith
City Attorney: Lloyd Moore
Municipal Clerk: Lynn Maroon
Municipal Judge: Donnie Joe Sparks

BELZONI (Humphreys County) 2,663
Incorporated March 12, 1895
City Hall, P.O. Box 674, 39038
(662) 247-1343/(f) (662) 247-1346
Mayor: Wardell Walton
Board of Aldermen: Charles Edwards, Gary Farmer, W.T. McCormick, Paul Walker, Charles Thurman, Jr.
City Attorney: Fritzie Ross
Municipal Clerk: Marie Prewitt
Municipal Judge: Howard Q. Davis, Jr.

BENOIT (Bolivar County) 611
Incorporated February 19, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 66, 38725
(662) 742-3751/(f) (662) 742-3758
Mayor: Calvin E. Ward
Board of Aldermen: Linda Nelson Farris, Virginia Melton, Terry Leonard, Sr., Sarah Nelson Howard, Eddie Gammage
City Attorney: Robert Crump
Municipal Clerk: Bertha L. Williamson
Municipal Judge: James Strait

BENTONIA (Yazoo County) 500
Incorporated March 14, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 310, 39040
(662) 755-2281/(f) (662) 755-2281
Mayor: Tommy Hancock
Board of Aldermen: Marty Martin, Kim S. Sligh, Kim Tyer, Greg Shaffer, Trey Burton
City Attorney: Michael T. Rushing
Municipal Clerk: Amy Sudbeck
Municipal Judge: Michael T. Rushing

BEULAH (Bolivar County) 473
Incorporated July 13, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 68, 38726
(662) 759-3758/(f) (662) 759-3758
Mayor: Carl Lewis
Board of Aldermen: Frank Brown, Johnny Moore, Tim McCoy, James Walker, Pearlene Tucker
City Attorney: Joseph Stinson
Municipal Clerk: Linda Foster

BIG CREEK (Calhoun County) 127
Incorporated March 13, 1907
City Hall, P.O. Box 2098, 38914
(662) 628-5185
Mayor: Dwight Devall
Board of Aldermen: Robert C. Harrison, Emmitt Litten, Jr., Ronald C. Harville, Karen R. Devall, Scott Norman
City Attorney: Paul M. Moore, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Doris Flemons
Municipal Judge: A.G. Gibson, Jr.

BILOXI (Harrison County) 50,644
Incorporated February 8, 1838
City Hall, P.O. Box 429, 39533
(228) 435-6254/(f) (228) 435-6129
Mayor: A.J. Holloway
Board of Aldermen: George W. Lawrence, William Stallworth, Charles T. Harrison, Jr., Mike Fitzpatrick, Tom Wall, Edward Gemmill, David Fayard
City Attorney: Ronnie Cochran
Municipal Clerk: Brenda H. Johnston
Municipal Judges: Dean R. Wilson, W. Eugene Henry, J.D. Lee

BLUE MOUNTAIN (Tippah County) 670
Incorporated January 31, 1877
City Hall, P.O. Box 116, 38610
(662) 685-4721/(f) (662) 685-4031
Mayor: Edward Burge
Board of Aldermen: James Kelly, Jr., Carel Robbins, Suellen Estes, Kenneth Phillips, Gene Lansdell
City Attorney: Joe T. Gay
Municipal Clerk: Bonnie Orman
Municipal Judge: Joe T. Gay

BLUE SPRINGS (Union County) 144
Incorporated March 15, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 94, 38828
(662) 534-0190
Mayor: Judy Harrison
Board of Aldermen: David Boland, Rita Gentry, Sandra Boland, Shirley Allen, Leanna Lindsey Hollis
City Attorney: Valerie Hancock
Municipal Clerk: Cynthia J. Grant

BOLTON (Hinds County) 629
Incorporated May 8, 1871
City Hall, P.O. Box 7, 39041
(601) 866-2221/(f) (601) 866-7434
Mayor: Lawrence Butler
Board of Aldermen: Jimmie Lewis, Helen R. Harris, Douglas Beard, Larry Thompson, Shirley Mason
City Attorney: Sherri Flowers
Municipal Clerk: Jeardine Robinson
Municipal Judge: Bernard C. Jones, Jr.

BOONEVILLE (Prentiss County) 8,625
Incorporated December 12, 1861
City Hall, 203 N. Main St., 38829
(662) 728-0319/(f) (662) 728-0319
Mayor: Roger K. Smith
Board of Aldermen: Mitch Barrett, Betty Livingston, Bobby Goddard, David West, David Bolen
City Attorney: William Smith
Municipal Clerk: Glennice George
Municipal Judge: George M. Via

BOYLE (Bolivar County) 720
Incorporated August 5, 1895
City Hall, P.O. Box 367, 38730
(662) 843-4661/(f) (662) 843-2141
Mayor: Joe Wayne Reed
Board of Aldermen: Brown Ryle, Jr., Jeffery T. Mullins, Sanders Richardson, Lena Jenkins, Joe B. Denson, Jr.
City Attorney: Kirk Povall
Municipal Clerk: Margret Utz

BRANDON (Rankin County) 16,436
Incorporated December 19, 1831
City Hall, P.O. Box 1539, 39043
(601) 825-5021/(f) (601) 825-1015
Mayor: Carlo Martella
Board of Aldermen: Walter Johnson, David (Grumpy) Farmer, Lu Coker, Yvonne Bianchi, Gene Sirmon, James Morris, Barbara Mangum
City Attorney: Mark Baker
Municipal Clerk: Angela Bean
Municipal Judges: Michael P. Younger, Jack B. Brenmen

BRAXTON (Simpson County) 181
Incorporated December 9, 1901
City Hall, P.O. Box 27, 39044
(601) 847-1879/(f) (601) 847-1816
Mayor: Mable Everett
Board of Aldermen: Elaine Warren, Betty Morgan, Jerry Everett, Robert Morrow, Rosemarie McMillon
City Attorney: Terrell Stubbs
Municipal Clerk: Betty Blake

BROOKHAVEN (Lincoln County) 9,861
Incorporated November 15, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 560, 39602
(601) 833-2362/(f) (601) 833-0787
Mayor: Robert V. Massengill
Board of Aldermen: Doresey Cameron, John E. Allen, Jerry L. Wilson, Terry L. Bates, Sr., Shirley Estes, Les Bumgarner, D.W. Maxwell
City Attorney: Joseph Fernald
Municipal Clerk: Michael Jinks
Municipal Judge: Jerrald Nations

BROOKSVILLE (Noxubee County) 1,182
Incorporated February 7, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 256, 39739
(662) 738-5531/(f) (662) 738-5020
Mayor: Tammie Holmes
Board of Aldermen: Freda Phillips, Thomas J. Wilkins, Coretta Stockett, Nathanial Smith, Eric Dooley
City Attorney: Bennie Jones
Municipal Clerk: Alvina DeLoach
Municipal Judge: Dorothy Stewart

BRUCE (Calhoun County) 2,097
Incorporated June 16, 1927
City Hall, P.O. Box 667, 38915
(662) 983-2453/(f) (662) 983-2433
Mayor: Jesse Quillen
Board of Aldermen: Alan Prestage, Gary E. Edwards, Richard Freelon, Jessey Higdon, Jesse Norris
City Attorney: Jim Beckett
Municipal Clerk: Rita Talford
Municipal Judge: Ottis B. Crocker, Jr.

BUDE (Franklin County) 1,037
Incorporated April 30, 1914
City Hall, P.O. Box 448, 39630
(601) 384-2600/(f) (601) 384-4193
Mayor: Earl Case
Board of Aldermen: James Watts, Shanna H. Jackson, Tony Gibbs, Jay Romero, Grady Huff
City Attorney: Lane Reed
Municipal Clerk: Debra Wactor
Municipal Judge: Ray Emfinger, Jr.

BURNSVILLE (Tishomingo County) 1,034
Incorporated January 25, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 308, 38833
(662) 427-9526/(f) (662) 427-9527
Mayor: Bobby H. Johnson
Board of Aldermen: Nickie McRae, John Robert Rorie, Brad Forsythe, Lester E. (Bubba) Carpenter, A.T. Marlar, Jr.
City Attorney: Mark Segars
Municipal Clerk: Elesha Dailey
Municipal Judge: Debbie Martin

BYHALIA (Marshall County) 706
Incorporated April 21, 1873
City Hall, P.O. Box 412, 38611
(662) 838-2135/(f) (662) 838-3709
Mayor: O.R. (Scooter) Dempsey
Board of Aldermen: Phil Malone, Richard S. Minor, Robert E. (Bob) Carrington III, Terry Sawyer, Michael (Mike) Hamblin
City Attorney: Eugene Brown
Municipal Clerk: Anna Marie Adkins
Municipal Judge: Jim McGarrah

CALEDONIA (Lowndes County) 1,015
Incorporated December 23, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 100, 39740
(662) 356-4117/(f) (662) 356-9122
Mayor: William B. Lawrence
Board of Aldermen: Roy L. Lindsey, Peggy Nickles, Carl B. Griffin, Bill Darnell, Brenda Willis
City Attorney: Jeff Smith
Municipal Clerk: Zack Westbrook
Municipal Judge: Peggy Phillips

CALHOUN CITY (Calhoun County) 1,872
Incorporated July 23, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box E, 38916
(662) 628-8345/(f) (662) 628-8931
Mayor: J.R. Denton
Board of Aldermen: Marshall Coleman, Larry C. Bratton, Dale A. Hays, Iris Sykes, Barbara Goodson
City Attorney: Terry James
Municipal Clerk: Faye Spratlin
Municipal Judge: A.G. Gibson, Jr.

CANTON (Madison County) 12,911
Incorporated February 27, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 1605, 39046
(601) 859-4331/(f) (601) 859-4379
Mayor: Fred Esco, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Billy Myers, Louis Smith, Ray Rosamond, Kenneth W. Jones, Alice M. Scott, Charles A. Weems
City Attorney: C.R. Montgomery
Municipal Clerk: Valarie T. Smith
Municipal Judge: Stanley F. Stater III

CARROLLTON (Carroll County) 408
Incorporated February 27, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 181, 38917
(662) 237-4600/(f) (662) 237-4600
Mayor: Annie Mae Wilson
Board of Aldermen: Clint Gee III, Harold Scruggs, Betty Morgan, Russell Wilson, Jacqueline W. Lord
City Attorney: Tom Kirschten
Municipal Clerk: Linda McGregor

CARTHAGE (Leake County) 4,637
Incorporated May 12, 1837
City Hall, 212 W. Main St., 39051
(601) 267-8322/(f) (601) 267-5955
Mayor: Jimmy Cook
Board of Aldermen: David Cocroft, David Herrington, Terry Jones, Michael Cothran
City Attorney: Morris Phillips
Municipal Clerk: Dana Wilcher
Municipal Judge: Dexter C. Nettles, Jr.

CARY (Sharkey County) 427
Incorporated November 27, 1929
City Hall, P.O. Box 69, 39054
(662) 873-6779/(f) (662) 873-6679
Mayor: Leland Weissinger
Board of Aldermen: Linda McGee, Margie Gerrard, TyAnn Hengst, Sammy Bonds, Donald Harris
City Attorney: Charles Weissinger
Municipal Clerk: JoAnn Simmons

CENTREVILLE (Wilkinson County) 1,680
Incorporated February 5, 1880
City Hall, P.O. Box 578, 39631
(601) 645-5218/(f) (601) 645-5218
Mayor: David Owens, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: John Moore, Thomas Lobrano, Carl D'Aquilla, Mary West, Mary Sanders
City Attorney: John Redhead
Municipal Clerk: Michelle Singleton
Municipal Judge: David S. Crawford

CHARLESTON (Tallahatchie County) 2,198
Incorporated February 28, 1848
City Hall, P.O. Box 420, 38921
(662) 647-5841/(f) (662) 647-8768
Mayor: Robert L. Rowe
Board of Aldermen: Dorothy Brown, Sedrick Smith, Joey Brunson, Meg Miller, Mike Goodwin
City Attorney: Joe L. Tennyson, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Diane Stanford
Municipal Judge: Steve Ross

CHUNKY (Newton County) 344
Incorporated December 24, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 86, 39323
(601) 655-8376
Mayor: J.D. Davis
Board of Aldermen: Aaron Clark, Sidney Steverson, Bill Duncan, Jacky Johnson, Robert Williamson
City Attorney: Robert Logan
Municipal Clerk: Brenda Nicholson

CLARKSDALE (Coahoma County) 20,645
Incorporated February 25, 1882
City Hall, P.O. Box 940, 38614
(662) 621-8136/(f) (662) 621-8130
Mayor: Henry Espy
Board of Aldermen: Budd Phelps, Edward Seals, Buster Moton, Grady Palmer
City Attorney: Curtis Boschert
Municipal Clerk: Cathy Clark
Municipal Judges: Don A. Dees, Sandra Marshall, Joseph C. Gibbs

CLEVELAND (Bolivar County) 13,841
Incorporated March 25, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 1439, 38732
(662) 846-1471/(f) (662) 843-8029
Mayor: David Work
Board of Aldermen: Gary Gainspoletti, Maurie Smith, Willard R. Samuels, Jr., Norman Burke, Jr., R. Paul Janoush, Ted Campbell, Jr., Billy Nowell
City Attorney: John W. Valentine
Municipal Clerk: Wendy McClain
Municipal Judge: Jeffrey Levingston

CLINTON (Hinds County) 23,347
Incorporated February 12, 1830
City Hall, P.O. Box 156, 39060
(601) 924-5462/(f) (601) 925-4605
Mayor: Rosemany Aultman
Board of Aldermen: Phil Fisher, Mike Bishop, Tony Hisaw, Tony Greer, Jehu Brabham, Mike Morgan, William Barnett
City Attorney: Ken Dreher
Municipal Clerk: Wayne Derek
Municipal Judges: Daren LaMarca, Mike Parker

COAHOMA (Coahoma County) 325
Incorporated February 18, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 103, 38617
(662) 337-2964/(f) (662) 337-2964
Mayor: W.J. Jones
Board of Aldermen: W.L. Youngblood, Perry Hopkins, Curtis Weeks, Charles Butler, Robert Rockett
City Attorney: Linda Coleman
Municipal Clerk: Felicia Elmore

COFFEEVILLE (Yalobusha County) 930
Incorporated February 7, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 157, 38922
(662) 675-2642/(f) (662) 675-8416
Mayor: Mack Burns, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Mack Dudley, Johnny Roland, William Shelton, Michael Ayers, Joe Ray Bourn
City Attorney: Larry Maxey
Municipal Clerk: Rebecca McCullar
Municipal Judge: Rusty Harlow, Jr.

COLDWATER (Tate County) 1,674
Incorporated November 15, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 352, 38618
(662) 622-7241/(f) (662) 622-7242
Mayor: Jessie J. Edwards
Board of Aldermen: Gregory Means, Harold Davis, Sherman Riley, Donzella Jefferies, Vernon Jackson
City Attorney: James D. Minor
Municipal Clerk: Mary Jackson

COLLINS (Covington County) 2,683
Incorporated November 27, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box 400, 39428
(601) 765-4491/(f) (601) 765-0050
Mayor: V.O. Smith
Board of Aldermen: L.C. Firle, Bobby A. Mooney, Halbert R. Walker, Gerald Buffington, Lester Magee
City Attorney: David Shoemake
Municipal Clerk: Peggy W. Sanford
Municipal Judge: John Laz Sanford

COLUMBIA (Marion County) 6,603
Incorporated December 16, 1812
City Hall, 201 Second St., 39429
(601) 736-8201/(f) (601) 731-1090
Mayor: Harold A. Bryant
Board of Aldermen: James Manning, Robert E. Donnell III, David McCance, Wendall Hammond, Carolyn Finley
City Attorney: W.C. Callender
Municipal Clerk: Don Martin
Municipal Judge: Forest Dantin

COLUMBUS (Lowndes County) 25,944
Incorporated February 1822
City Hall, P.O. Box 1408, 39703
(662) 328-7021/(f) (662) 329-5118
Mayor: Jeffery Rupp
City Attorney: Tommy Wallace
Board of Aldermen: Fred Stewart, Jr., Gene Coleman, Doug McKey, Jerry Kendall, Jay Jordan, Robert E. Smith
Municipal Clerk: Joe Taggart Jr.
Municipal Judges: Curtis H. Austin, Gary Street Goodwin

COMO (Panola County) 1,310
Incorporated February 20, 1880
City Hall, P.O. Box 118, 38619
(662) 526-9647/(f) (662) 526-0210
Mayor: Azria (Bobby) Lewers
Board of Aldermen: Everette Hill, Ruby J. Higgenbottom, Richard Taylor, Clark Gregory, John H. Walton
Municipal Clerk: Billy James
Municipal Judge: James Appleton

CORINTH (Alcorn County) 14,054
Incorporated March 12, 1856
City Hall, P.O. Box 669, 38835
(662) 286-6644/(f) (662) 287-7240
Mayor: Jerry W. Latch
Board of Aldermen: John Graham, Terrell J. Kingen, Jimmy Mitchell, William Plaxico, Jimmy Hatchcock
City Attorney: William Odom
Municipal Clerk: Vickie Roach
Municipal Judge: John C. Ross

COURTLAND (Panola County) 460
Incorporated March 30, 1871
City Hall, P.O. Box 51, 38620
(662) 563-0628/(f) (662) 563-3842
Mayor: Deborah R. Aven
Board of Aldermen: Paul C. Olson, Gerald M. Aven, Jr., Michael W. Roberts, Sr., Mary Katherine Baglan, Clifford A. Olson, Jr.
City Attorney: Nancy Carolyn Roberts
Municipal Judge: Jay Westfaul

CRAWFORD (Lowndes County) 655
Incorporated January 26, 1854
City Hall, P.O. Box 136, 39743
(662) 272-5164/(f) (662) 272-5164
Mayor: Helen F. O'Neal
Board of Aldermen: Willie D. Parson, Larry Caldwell, Brenda Gentry, George Lowery, Geraldine Farmer
City Attorney: Mollie L. Knott
Municipal Clerk: Mollie May

CRENSHAW (Panola and Quitman Counties) 916
Incorporated August 22, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 296, 38621
(662) 382-5234/(f) (662) 382-7107
Mayor: Oscar Barlow, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Alberta Bradley, Lawrence Wright, Earl Presley, Milton Phipps, F.C. Kelson, Jr.
City Attorney: Mary D. Luther
Municipal Clerk: Mildred Lesure Sander
Municipal Judge: Mildred J. LeSure

CROSBY (Amite and Wilkinson Counties) 360
Incorporated April 4, 1934
City Hall, P.O. Box 434, 39633
(601) 639-4516
Mayor: James Bateaste
Board of Aldermen: Mae Belle Griffin, Joseph H. Hall, Robert Murray, Mary Griffin, Pamela Archie
City Attorney: Cynthia D. Davis
Mucipal Clerk: Stacey Odell
Municipal Judge: Cynthia D. Davis

CROWDER (Panola and Quitman Counties) 766
Incorporated March 2, 1917
City Hall, P.O. Box 97, 38622
(662) 326-8822/(f) (662) 326-2600
Mayor: Stephen Stanton
Board of Aldermen: Mary Stroup, Charles Wilson, James M. King, Walter A. Shegog, Sr., Joe Cole
City Attorney: Jimmy Miller
Municipal Clerk: Lynette W. Bland
Municipal Judge: Robert G. Roy

CRUGER (Holmes County) 449
Incorporated March 19, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 214, 38924
(662) 455-5155/(f) (662) 455-9908
Mayor: Mary Sutton Ajoku
Board of Aldermen: Robert Farmer, Jr., Katherine Granderson, Steve Flemming, Carolyn Harris, Mary Pitchford
City Attorney: Robert Clark
Municipal Clerk: Alice G. Randall
Municipal Judge: Billy J. Gilmore

CRYSTAL SPRINGS (Copiah County) 5,873
Incorporated June 4, 1859
City Hall, P.O. Box 473, 39059
(601) 892-1210/(f) (601) 892-4870
Mayor: Arthur Lee Evans, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Jerry B. Gulledge, James Hicks, Jazma Wheeler, Dwayne Thompson, Erma Deen Lewis
City Attorney: Robert W. Lawrence
Municipal Clerk: Linda L. Caston

DECATUR (Newton County) 1,426
Incorporated February 22, 1840
City Hall, P.O. Box 307, 39327
(601) 635-2761/(f) (601) 635-4012
Mayor: Bruce Cater
Board of Aldermen: Leon Eatmon, Eleanor Russell, Max Anderson, Mark Buntyn, Gus Vallas
City Attorney: Bobby Everett
Municipal Clerk: Jinya Lea Clarke
Municipal Judge: Jan Addy

DEKALB (Kemper County) 972
Incorporated February 16, 1839
City Hall, P.O. Box 579, 39328
(601) 743-2870/(f) (601) 743-2422
Mayor: Homer D. Hall, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Johnny R. Rush, James W. Craig, Keith Barnes, Theotis Cole, Jr., Mary Donald
City Attorney: Marvin Wiggins
Municipal Clerk: Janet Nester
Municipal Judge: Hardy R. Stennis

DERMA (Calhoun County) 1,023
Incorporated November 21, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 98, 38839
(662) 628-6635/(f) (662) 628-4101
Mayor: Dock H. Gabbert
Board of Aldermen: Charles L. Bobo, Judy R. Tedford, David W. Martin, Charles Pulliam, Richard Blaylock
City Attorney: Paul M. Moore, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Joanna Russell
Municipal Judge: A.G. Gibson, Jr.

D'IBERVILLE (Harrison County) 7,608
Incorporated February 11, 1988
City Hall, P.O. Box 6519, 39540
(228) 392-7966/(f) (228) 392-9722
Mayor: Rusty Quave
Board of Aldermen: Brenda Broussard, Henry Toncrey, Jr., Teddy Harder, Bob Bellman, Glen Ellis
Municipal Clerk: Mary Lee Williams
Municipal Judge: W. Eugene Henry

D'LO (Simpson County) 394
Incorporated August 16, 1901
City Hall, P.O. Box 100, 39062
(601) 847-1721/(f) (601) 847-1721
Mayor: Emery B. Veazey
Board of Aldermen: Wendell Dicker, Sandy Entrekin, Ann Byrd, Ruth Griffin, Tina Everett
City Attorney: Marc Brand
Municipal Clerk: Teri Thames
Municipal Judge: Eugene Knight

DODDSVILLE (Sunflower County) 108
Incorporated September 17, 1920
City Hall, P.O. Box 7
(662) 756-2700
Mayor: Torey L. Bell, Sr.
Board of Aldermen: David Ruffin, Robert Ratliff, Jr., Charles Franklin Keith, Samual McIntee, Charles Martin, Sr.
City Attorney: Neysha Sanders
Municipal Clerk: Abbie Martin

DREW (Sunflower County) 2,434
Incorporated September 23, 1899
City Hall, 130 W. Shaw Ave., 38737
(662) 745-8556/(f) (662) 745-8731
Mayor: Jeffery Kilpatrick
Board of Aldermen: Sederick Mitchell, Ralph R. Tidmore, Gail L. Riddick, Lacy Wilson, Harvey Burchfield
City Attorney: Johnny McWilliams
Municipal Clerk: Bettie T. Dickey
Municipal Judge: Kent C. Haney

DUCK HILL (Montgomery County) 746
Incorporated July 21, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 368, 38925
(662) 565-7200/(f) (662) 565-2721
Mayor: Joey Cooley
Board of Aldermen: Lovanda Farmer, Leroy Nash, Lisa W. Herman, Ronald Bennett, Lula Brown
City Attorney: Raymond Baum
Municipal Clerk: Lasonja Sizemore
Municipal Judge: Lee Hazlewood

DUMAS (Tippah County) 452
Incorporated December 21, 1874
City Hall, 2991 Hwy. 370 S., 38625
(662) 837-9886
Mayor: Jerry Henson
Board of Aldermen: Nell Self, Bobby Jones, Patsy Davis, Earl Cooper, Rita Walker
City Attorney: Bobby Ford
Municipal Clerk: Margie Orman

DUNCAN (Bolivar County) 578
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 215, 38740
(662) 395-2570
Mayor: Charles Harvey
Board of Aldermen: Shirley Reddics, Lois McMurchy, Nancy B. Boschert, Roy Caston, John Janous
City Attorney: Thomas N. Boschert

DURANT (Holmes County) 2,932
Incorporated November 21, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 272, 39063
(662) 653-3221/(f) (662) 653-6487
Mayor: Johnny Pritchard
Board of Aldermen: Dora B. Parkinson, James M. Ferguson, Terry Floyd, Johnny Lee Bankhead, Larry Boyd, Jr.
City Attorney: John Gilmore
Municipal Clerk: Linda McDonald
Municipal Judge: Jim Arnold, Jr.

ECRU (Pontotoc County) 947
Incorporated November 19, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 526, 38841
(662) 489-3881/(f) (662) 489-0196
Mayor: Thomas Todd
Board of Aldermen: James W. Speck, Paul Thompson, Donald Andrews, Pat Davis, William P. Nance
Municipal Clerk: Gretchin Moody
Municipal Judge: Ed Barton

EDEN (Yazoo County) 126
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, 359 Main St., 39194
(662) 746-3417
Mayor: Valgeane Russell
Board of Aldermen: Tommy Holeman, Elig Steward
City Attorney: Wiley Barbour
Municipal Clerk: Shirley A. Vickers

EDWARDS (Hinds County) 1,347
Incorporated June 21, 1871
City Hall, P.O. Box 215, 39066
(601) 852-5461/(f) (601) 852-8521
Mayor: R.L. Perkins
Board of Aldermen: Robert (Jack) Smith, James E. Williams, Karl W. Vriesen, Wilson B. Jones, Ira L. Thompson
City Attorney: Charles Griffin
Municipal Clerk: Jean White
Municipal Judge: Ivory Britton

ELLISVILLE (Jones County) 3,465
Incorporated March 11, 1884
City Hall, 110 N. Court St., 39437
(601) 477-3323/(f) (601) 477-9083
Mayor: Tim Waldrup
Board of Aldermen: Frank E. Williams, Robert D. Landrum, Walter E. Clark, William McCormick, James A. Holifield, Sr.
City Attorney: Freida G. Collins
Municipal Clerk: Kathy Brewer
Municipal Judge: David Lyons

ENTERPRISE (Clarke County) 474
Incorporated February 18, 1846
City Hall, P.O. Box 226, 39330
(601) 659-7971/(f) (601) 659-7971
Mayor: Larry Murray
Board of Aldermen: Stanley Herrington, Brenda Reid Lord, Gerald Covington, Beaulah H. Lee, Hilda Newman
City Attorney: Billy Mitts
Municipal Clerk: Christy Ivey
Municipal Judge: Edward N. Kramer III

ETHEL (Attala County) 452
Incorporated June 7, 1911
City Hall, P.O. Box 58, 39067
(662) 674-5226
Mayor: Ophelia Mitchell
Board of Aldermen: Anthony Barksdale, Jerry Parish, Paul Stewart, Larry Morgan, Lyda Fair
Municipal Clerk: Annette Sanders

EUPORA (Webster County) 2,326
Incorporated May 14, 1890
City Hall, 102 E. Clark Ave., 39744
(662) 258-2291/(f) (662) 258-5331
Mayor: Tommy Lott
Board of Aldermen: Henry Flowers, Robert C. Mays, Jack Haney, Dan Burchfield, Ricky Newton
City Attorney: Hugh Gibson
Municipal Clerk: Lesa D. Hardin
Municipal Judge: Buchanan Meek, Jr.

FALCON (Quitman County) 317
Incorporated April 5, 1971
City Hall, 125 Nevils Rd., 38628
(662) 382-7669/(f) (662) 382-7669
Mayor: Alvin Hodo
Board of Aldermen: Daisy Q. White, Matthew Vaughn, Maxine Amos, Lizzie Jones, Willie Phillips
City Attorney: Robert Roy
Municipal Clerk: Linda Watkins

FALKNER (Tippah County) 212
Incorporated April 2, 1874
City Hall, P.O. Box 117, 38629
(662) 837-4940/(f) (662) 837-4792
Mayor: Doyle Griffin
Board of Aldermen: Tommie Labarreare, Gary Bullock, Mike McMillin, Susan Rutherford, L.D. Hudson
City Attorney: Sean Atkins
Municipal Clerk: Colleen Weeks

FARMINGTON (Alcorn County) 1,810
Incorporated September 9, 1997
City Hall, P.O. Box 2796, 38835
(662) 665-9647/(f) (662) 665-0067
Mayor: Dale Fortenberry
Board of Aldermen: Martin King, Thomas Mac Grisham, Kevin Maxcy, Jeff Patterson, Henry S. Barrett II
City Attorney: John A. Hatcher
Municipal Clerk: Debora Holloway
Municipal Judge: Charles R. Wilbanks, Sr.

FAYETTE (Jefferson County) 2,242
Incorporated February 12, 1830
City Hall, P.O. Box 637, 39069
(601) 786-3682/(f) (601) 786-6425
Mayor: Rogers W. King

Board of Aldermen: Kenneth E. Coffie, Claudine S. Middleton, Vernie Washington, Marcus Walton, Arnold E. Clark
City Attorney: Vincent Davis
Municipal Clerk: Carolyn Tyler
Municipal Judge: Deborah McDonald

FLORA (Madison County) 1,546
Incorporated January 29, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 218, 39071
(601) 879-8686/(f) (601) 879-3630
Mayor: Charles Scott Greaves
Board of Aldermen: Les Childress, L.V. Sumler, Jonathan Bates, Michael Westbrook, Randy Grewe
City Attorney: Ronald M. Kirk
Municipal Clerk: Debra Ross
Municipal Judges: Bentley E. Conner, Walter E. Wood

FLORENCE (Rankin County) 2,396
Incorporated May 30, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 187, 39073
(601) 845-2462/(f) (601) 845-0458
Mayor: Wendell Godfrey
Board of Aldermen: Bobbie D. Moudy, Larry Poyner, John Helms, Pam Clark, Robert F. Lingold
City Attorney: David Ringer
Municipal Clerk: Linda Wigley
Municipal Judge: Ken Fairly

FLOWOOD (Rankin County) 4,750
Incorporated November 20, 1950
City Hall, P.O. Box 320069, 39232
(601) 939-4243/(f) (601) 932-4384
Mayor: Gary L. Rhoads
Board of Aldermen: Deron Harmon, Kirk McDaniel, Donald H. Flynt, Robert Shearer, Loyd Smith, Jr.
City Attorney: Kevin Watson
Municipal Clerk: Julia Williams
Municipal Judge: Ken Fairly

FOREST (Scott County) 5,987
Incorporated November 21, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 298, 39074
(601) 469-2921/(f) (601) 469-3224
Mayor: Nancy N. Chambers
Board of Aldermen: Cynthia S. Melton, Allan Atkinson, Billy Price, Harry Robinson, James C. Clark
City Attorney: Evan Thompson
Municipal Clerk: Faye Johnston
Municipal Judge: Jerry L. Bustin

FRENCH CAMP (Choctaw County) 393
Incorporated February 27, 1854
City Hall, P.O. Box 27, 39745
(662) 547-6414/(f) (662) 547-9451
Mayor: H. Glen Barlow
Board of Aldermen: Kim Hosket, Shellie Anderson, Eddie Robinson, Jennifer Morgan, Helen Branning
City Attorney: Kevin Null
Municipal Clerk: Lee Anne Chesteen

FRIARS POINT (Coahoma County) 1,480
Incorporated October 31, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 185, 38631
(662) 383-2233/(f) (662) 383-2403
Mayor: James Washington
Board of Aldermen: Norris Holly, Sr., Johnny Elmore, Jean Washington, Alicestine Victory, Cedrick Tenner
City Attorney: Linda Coleman
Municipal Clerk: Catherine Miller
Municipal Judge: Kenneth Bush

FULTON (Itawamba County) 3,882
Incorporated May 11, 1837
City Hall, 213 W. Wiygul St., 38843
(662) 862-4929/(f) (662) 862-9817
Mayor: Paul Walker
Board of Aldermen: Hayward Wilson, Dwight McGee, Mike Nanney, Richard Davis, Charlotte Wiygul

City Attorney: Ray O'Neal
Municipal Clerk: Lisa Russell
Municipal Judge: Wiley Lance Bean

GATTMAN (Monroe County) 114
Incorporated February 4, 1829
City Hall, P.O. Box 98, 38844
(662) 257-1003/(f) (662) 257-1003
Mayor: Paul Downey
Board of Aldermen: Wayne Downey, Elizabeth McKay, Karen Greene, Kenneth Boozer, Tommy Jean Bailey
City Attorney: Don Baker
Municipal Clerk: Denise Ruby

GAUTIER (Jackson County) 11,681
Incorporated May 14, 1986
City Hall, 3330 Hwy. 90, 39553
(228) 497-8000/(f) (228) 497-8028
Mayor: Pete Pope
Board of Aldermen: John Dick Paul, Matt Feathers, Don Hansford, Jeff Wilkinson, Ginger Lay, Hurley Ray Guillotte
City Attorney: Robert Ramsay
Municipal Clerk: Pearl B. Mercer
Municipal Judge: Gary L. Roberts

GEORGETOWN (Copiah County) 344
Incorporated September 27, 1909
City Hall, P.O. Box 138, 39078
(601) 858-2463/(f) (601) 858-2463
Mayor: Robert W. Windom, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Russell Dubose, Robert Haynes, C. Hudson Chadwick, Sheila Childers, Faye Berry
City Attorney: John Armstrong
Municipal Clerk: Cuba Phillips
Municipal Judge: John D. Sutton

GLEN (Alcorn County) 286
Incorporated April 23, 1993
City Hall, P.O. Box 335, 38846
(662) 286-8288/(f) (662) 286-8464
Mayor: Bobby R. Little
Board of Aldermen: John Sellers, David Derrick, Kathy Latch, Frances Ivey, Ruth Sellers
City Attorney: Jeremy Blayock
Municipal Clerk: Lynn E. Fielding

GLENDORA (Tallahatchie County) 285
Incorporated March 19, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 90, 38928
(662) 375-7333/(f) (662) 375-7250
Mayor: Johnny B. Thomas
Board of Aldermen: Virginia Allison, Willie C. Allison, Bobby Hill, Garrett Grant, Virginia Simmons, Darlean Hill
City Attorney: Solomon Osborn
Municipal Clerk: Bessie Brooks

GLOSTER (Amite County) 1,073
Incorporated March 11, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 1019, 39638
(601) 225-4216/(f) (601) 225-4772
Mayor: Leroy Billy Johnson
Board of Aldermen: Jane Bell Martin, Jimmy Brown, Christine Havard, Eldon P. Hopf, Rebecca Anderson
City Attorney: Cynthia Davis
Municipal Clerk: Monzella Tickles
Municipal Judge: Roger Arnold

GOLDEN (Tishomingo County) 201
Incorporated February 8, 1908
City Hall, P.O. Box 426, 38847
(662) 454-7100/(f) (662) 454-7100
Mayor: Ronnie Brown
Board of Aldermen: Bill McCary, Stan Malone, Mackey Massey, Mike Stephens, Rebecca Ozbim

City Attorney: Jamie Franks
Municipal Clerk: Tracy Pharr

GOODMAN (Holmes County) 1,252
Incorporated November 21, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 397, 39079
(662) 472-2263/(f) (662) 472-2513
Mayor: Debra Ann Mabry
Board of Aldermen: John T. Mabry, James E. Anderson, Johnny Tillman, John Estep, Carla Williams
City Attorney: Marc Boutwell
Municipal Clerk: Shirley Jobe
Municipal Judge: J.R. Gilfoy IV

GREENVILLE (Washington County) 41,633
Incorporated June 24, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 897, 38702
(662) 378-1595/(f) (662) 378-1564
Mayor: Heather McTeer Hudson
Board of Aldermen: Betty Watkins, Charles Turner, Carl McGee, Lee Owen, Kenneth L. Gines, Audine Haynes
City Attorney: Andrew Alexander
Municipal Clerk: Tommie G. Jefcoat
Municipal Judge: Michael L. Prewitt

GREENWOOD (Leflore County) 18,425
Incorporated February 16, 1844
City Hall, P.O. Box 907, 38935
(662) 453-2246/(f) (662) 455-7635
Mayor: Harry L. Smith
Board of Aldermen: Tennill Cannon, Ronnie Stevenson, Taylor Dillard, John Lee, Johnny Jennings, David L. Jordan, Charles McCoy, Sr.
City Attorney: Billy Bowman
Municipal Clerk: Deirdre Mayes
Municipal Judge: James K. Littleton

GRENADA (Grenada County) 14,879
Incorporated February 27, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 310, 38902
(662) 226-8820/(f) (662) 227-3412
Mayor: Dianna Freelon-Foster
Board of Aldermen: George Mullen, Ronald Merriman, Lewis Johnson, Mary Hall, Ernest Hargrove, J.B. Flowers, Jr., Calvin Neely
City Attorney: Mary Brown
Municipal Clerk: Diane Spencer
Municipal Judge: Alan D. Lancaster

GULFPORT (Harrison County) 71,127
Incorporated July 28, 1898
City Hall, P.O. Box 1780, 39502
(228) 868-5700/(f) (228) 868-5800
Mayor: Brent Warr
Board of Aldermen: Brian A. Carriere, Gary Hollimon, Barbary A. Nalley, Ricky Dombrowski, Libby Roland, Jackie Smith, Neil Resh
City Attorney: Harry Hewes
Municipal Clerk: Amelia Bordeaux
Municipal Judges: Richard J. Smith, William Atchinson, Alvin Chase

GUNNISON (Bolivar County) 633
Incorporated May 7, 1892
City Hall, P.O. Box 278, 38746
(662) 747-2213/(f) (662) 747-2263
Mayor: Erma Jean Williams
Board of Aldermen: Allen Hopson, Idella Gilford Jacobs, Ladonia Jones, Rosie Scott, John Calmese
City Attorney: Alecia Thomas
Municipal Clerk: Renetta Williams

GUNTOWN (Lee County) 1,183
Incorporated February 16, 1867
City Hall, P.O. Box 27, 38849
(662) 348-5353/(f) (662) 348-2319
Mayor: Jimmy Anderson
Board of Aldermen: Jack Melson, Larry McCoy, Wayne Phelps, Ronny Lindsey, Carolyn Floyd, Greg Cagle, Petey Hopkins
City Attorney: Francis Larkin
Municipal Clerk: Betty Moore
Municipal Judge: Pat Carr

HATLEY (Monroe County) 476
Incorporated February 14, 1914
City Hall, 60279 Hatley Rd., 38821
(662) 256-7245/(f) (662) 256-7255
Mayor: Jimmy Brown
Board of Aldermen: Gary Johnson, Joe Benton, Sarah Morgan
City Attorney: Michael Malski
Municipal Clerk: Lee Ann Davidson
Municipal Judge: Robert Earl Fowlkes

HATTIESBURG (Forrest and Lamar Counties) 44,779
Incorporated March 11, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 1898, 39403
(601) 545-4501/(f) (601) 545-4608
Mayor: Johnny L. DuPree
Board of Aldermen: Carter Carroll, Red Bailey, Henry Taylor, Kim Bradley, Deborah Denard Delgado
City Attorney: Charles Lawrence
Municipal Clerk: Eddie Myers
Municipal Judges: Vanessa Jones, Edwin Pittman III

HAZLEHURST (Copiah County) 4,400
Incorporated September 21, 1859
City Hall, P.O. Box 549, 39083
(601) 894-3131/(f) (601) 894-5577
Mayor: Henry C. Banks
Board of Aldermen: Ricky Akin, Frank Jones, Frank J. Pickering, Shirley Sandifer Darryl McMillian
City Attorney: Olen Bryant
Municipal Clerk: Sue B. Brown
Municipal Judge: James D. Shannon

HEIDELBERG (Jasper County) 840
Incorporated March 12, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 372, 39439
(601) 787-3000
Mayor: Juan Barnett
Board of Aldermen: Carolyn McFarland, Dewitt Reed, Thomas M. (Tom) Lewis, Sam Risher, Jr., Milton Jones, Sr.
City Attorney: Jacqueline K. Thach
Municipal Clerk: Debbie Logan
Municipal Judge: William M. Jordan

HERNANDO (DeSoto County) 6,812
Incorporated May 13, 1837
City Hall, 475 W. Commerce St., 38632
(662) 429-9092/(f) (662) 429-9099
Mayor: Chip Johnson
Board of Aldermen: Sam Lauderdale, E.R. (Sonny) Bryant, Andrew Miller, James P. (Jamie) Tipton, Gary Higdon
City Attorney: Kenneth Stockton
Municipal Clerk: Jannett Riley
Municipal Judge: Tony Nowak

HICKORY (Newton County) 499
Incorporated December 5, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 10, 39332
(601) 646-2211/(f) (601) 646-2213
Mayor: Roger Kennedy
Board of Aldermen: Tommy Nichols, Roy C. White, Greg Hudnall, Ken Morgan, Carolyn Burks
City Attorney: J. Steward Parrish
Municipal Clerk: Joyce Johnson
Municipal Judge: Jan Addy

HICKORY FLAT (Benton County) 565
Incorporated April 6, 1874
City Hall, P.O. Box 171, 38633
(662) 333-7884/(f) (662) 333-7884
Mayor: Allen Gray
Board of Aldermen: Keith Heaton, Carroll Taylor, Margie Gray, David Thompson, Chris Simpson
City Attorney: Robert Childers
Municipal Clerk: Mabaleen Smith
Municipal Judge: Robert Childers

HOLLANDALE (Washington County) 3,437
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 395, 38748
(662) 827-2241/(f) (662) 827-5596
Mayor: Willie J. Burnside
Board of Aldermen: Charles E. Morrow, Robert Swint, Carl Dorsey, Ronnie Williams, Janice Johnson
City Attorney: Josh Bogen
Municipal Clerk: Helen M. Johnson
Municipal Judge: Michael Prewitt

HOLLY SPRINGS (Marshall County) 7,957
Incorporated May 12, 1837
City Hall, 160 S. Memphis St., 38635
(662) 252-4280/(f) (662) 252-4651
Mayor: Andre' DeBerry
Board of Aldermen: Garrie Colhoun, Timothy Liddy, Russell Johnson, Nancy Hutchens, Naylond Hayes
City Attorney: J. Kizer Jones, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Vacant at time of printing
Municipal Judge: Eugene D. Brown, Jr.

HORN LAKE (DeSoto County) 14,099
Incorporated April 13, 1871
City Hall, 2285 Goodman Rd., 38637
(662) 393-6178/(f) (662) 393-6200
Mayor: Nat Baker
Board of Aldermen: Amy Lay, Derek Downing, Donnie White, John Jones, Jr., Tim Smith, Chris Sheley, Brenda Carter
City Attorney: Baskin, McCarroll, McCaskill & Campbell, P.A.
Municipal Clerk: Diane T. Stewart
Municipal Judge: James E. Holland

HOUSTON (Chickasaw County) 4,079
Incorporated May 9, 1837
City Hall, P.O. Box 548, 38851
(662) 456-2328/(f) (662) 456-9535
Mayor: John A. Moore
Board of Aldermen: Thomas E. (Tommy) Griffin, Frank Thomas, Shenia Kirby Jones, Willie Mae McKinney, Barry L. Springer
City Attorney: Elizabeth B. Fox
Municipal Clerk: Bobby H. Sanderson
Municipal Judge: Richard G. Bennett

INDIANOLA (Sunflower County) 12,066
Incorporated January 7, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 269, 38751
(662) 887-3101/(f) (662) 887-6009
Mayor: Arthur Marble
Board of Aldermen: Gary V. Fratesi, Maggie Barnes, Riley Rice, Charles Scott, Larry Brown
City Attorney: Dean Belk
Municipal Clerk: Janet Hammett
Municipal Judge: Howard Q. Davis, Jr.

INVERNESS (Sunflower County) 1,153
Incorporated March 5, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 116, 38753
(662) 265-5741/(f) (662) 265-6009
Mayor: James E. Weems
Board of Aldermen: Henry Lee Sibley, James Reed, Jr., Mark Henderson, Ira Dell Stuckey, Jack Switzer
City Attorney: Richard Noble
Municipal Clerk: Carolyn P. Hamilton
Municipal Judge: Howard Q. Davis, Jr.

ISOLA (Humphreys County) 768
Incorporated June 1, 1910
City Hall, P.O. Box 194, 38754
(662) 962-7725/(f) (662) 962-6133
Mayor: Willie Tanner
Board of Aldermen: Jack Toler, Dora Hooker, Alma F. Custom, Betty Myers, Lawrence Anderson
City Attorney: Latrice Westbrooks
Municipal Clerk: Sharon Williams
Municipal Judge: W.C. Trotter III

ITTA BENA (Leflore County) 2,208
Incorporated August 1, 1898
City Hall, P.O. Box 563, 38941
(662) 254-7231/(f) (662) 254-6550
Mayor: Thelma Collins
Board of Aldermen: Mary Hines, Louisa Grantham, Donald Fulgham, Walter Parker, Elmus Stockstill
City Attorney: Willie Perkins, Sr.
Municipal Clerk: Mary O'Banner
Municipal Judge: Larry Neal

IUKA (Tishomingo County) 3,059
Incorporated December 11, 1857
City Hall, 118 S. Pearl, 38852
(662) 423-3781/(f) (662) 423-1430
Mayor: Willie Tanner
Board of Aldermen: Alma Custom, Betty Meyer, Dora Hooker, Jack Toller, Lawrence Anderson
City Attorney: Richard Bowen
Municipal Clerk: Benny Gray

JACKSON (Hinds, Madison, Rankin Counties) 184,256
Incorporated February 22, 1840
City Hall, P.O. Box 17, 39205
(601) 960-1035/(f) (601) 960-1032
Mayor: Frank Melton
Board of Aldermen: Charles H. Tillman, Margaret Barrett-Simon, Kenneth I. Stokes, Ben Allen, Leslie Burl McLemore, Marshand K. Crisler, Frank Bluntson
City Attorney: Sarah O'Reilley Evans
Municipal Clerk: Cedric Morgan
Municipal Judges: Henry C. Clay III, Oran C. Page, David E. Rozier, Jr., Robert O. Waller, Jennifer M. Studebaker

JONESTOWN (Coahoma County) 1,701
Incorporated March 6, 1880
City Hall, P.O. Box 110, 38639
(662) 358-4328/(f) (662) 358-4337
Mayor: Patrick Campbell
Board of Aldermen: Christopher Turner, Josephine Cosby, Yvonne Williams, Ronnie Stoxstill, Lloyd Lewis
City Attorney: Sandra Marshall
Municipal Clerk: Pearline Johnson
Municipal Judge: Jessie Burton

JUMPERTOWN (Prentiss County) 404
Incorporated November 26, 1975
City Hall, 679 Hwy. 4 W., 38829
(662) 728-3658/(f) (662) 728-3658
Mayor: Billy Joe Morgan
Board of Aldermen: Gerald James, Stanley Michael, Cindy White, Susan Bane, Trent Moore
City Attorney: Mike Tutor
Municipal Clerk: Linda Jaynes
Municipal Judge: Debra Hall Moore

KILMICHAEL (Montgomery County) 830
Incorporated December 24, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box 296, 39747
(662) 262-4242/(f) (662) 262-4400
Mayor: Tommy Rushing
Board of Aldermen: Saundra Pratt, Charles Austin, Robert Coleman, Rose Lishman, James Williams

City Attorney: Lane Greenlee
Municipal Clerk: Karen Shivel
Municipal Judge: George W. Weaver

KOSCIUSKO (Attala County) 7,372
Incorporated February 27, 1836
City Hall, 222 E. Washington St., 39090
(662) 289-1226/(f) (662) 289-6751
Mayor: Jimmy W. Cockroft
Board of Aldermen: Robert Ellis, Tim Kyle, Martha Kate Lawrence, John Sullivan, Henry Daniel
City Attorney: George Dorrill
Municipal Clerk: Leslie Loving
Municipal Judge: L. Scott Pickle

KOSSUTH (Alcorn County) 170
Incorporated July 19, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 8004, 38834
(662) 286-5144
Mayor: Don Pace
Board of Aldermen: Cliff Hughs, Jerry Strickland, Kenneth Rainey, Paul Rolison, James Allen
City Attorney: Charles Wilbanks
Municipal Clerk: Randy Holt

LAKE (Newton and Scott Counties) 408
Incorporated February 9, 1867
City Hall, P.O. Box 39, 39092
(601) 775-3552/(f) (601) 775-3546
Mayor: Larry L. Townsend
Board of Aldermen: Priscilla Cooksey, Wanda S. Weems, Paul Tadlock, Rodney Street, Darris Vance
City Attorney: Roy Noble Lee, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Pamela Luke
Municipal Judge: Robert G. Wilkerson

LAMBERT (Quitman County) 1,967
Incorporated May 12, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 1198, 38643
(662) 326-8018/(f) (662) 326-8017
Mayor: Reginald Griffin
Board of Aldermen: Larry Steveson, Benard White, Avis Pryor, Jr., Royce Ray, British Conley
City Attorney: Jimmy Miller
Municipal Clerk: Patsy Keel
Municipal Judge: Don A. Dees

LAUREL (Jones County) 18,393
Incorporated March 11, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 647, 39441
(601) 428-6401/(f) (601) 428-6415
Mayor: Melvin Mack
Board of Aldermen: Joseph Jones, Johnny Magee, George Carmichael, Willie Lavonne Evans, Tony Wheat, Ed Smith, Manuel L. Jones, Sr.
City Attorney: William S. Mullins III
Municipal Clerk: Mary Ann Hess
Municipal Judge: Cecelia Arnold

LEAKESVILLE (Greene County) 1,026
Incorporated January 7, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 1120, 39451
(601) 394-2383/(f) (601) 394-2414
Mayor: William C. Brooks
Board of Aldermen: Arnold Allen, Joe Bullard, Karen (Miller) Smith, Nellie (Nell) Gray, Jimmie Breland
City Attorney: Cheryl Cook
Municipal Clerk: Renee Green
Municipal Judges: M. McIntosh Forsythe

LEARNED (Hinds County) 50
Incorporated March 14, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 2021, 39154
(601) 885-6833/(f) (601) 885-6822
Mayor: Joe W. Riggin
Board of Aldermen: Stanley Howell, Bruce Gates, Barbara Boyd, Brad Banes, Trey Porch
City Attorney: Margaret Sue Dozier
Municipal Clerk: Barbara Dozier

LELAND (Washington County) 5,502
Incorporated February 20, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Drawer 271, 38756
(662) 686-4136/(f) (662) 686-4570
Mayor: Barbara Rose Brooks
Board of Aldermen: Mala U. Brooks, Kenny Thomas, Claudette Amos, Danny Barber, Rusty King
City Attorney: Josh Bogen
Municipal Clerk: Mickey Fratesi
Municipal Judge: DeShandra Ross

LENA (Leake County) 167
Incorporated April 18, 1912
City Hall, P.O. Box 108, 39094
(601) 654-3332/(f) (601) 654-3332
Mayor: Robert Bone
Board of Aldermen: Cline Watkins, Steve Langford, Steve Goodman, Michael Sherman, Frank Sessums
City Attorney: Morris Phillips
Municipal Clerk: Elaine Pope
Municipal Judge: Johnny Pope

LEXINGTON (Holmes County) 2,025
Incorporated February 25, 1836
City Hall, 112 Spring St., 39095
(662) 834-1261/(f) (662) 834-3490
Mayor: Robin McCrory
Board of Aldermen: Robert Brown, Clinton Cobbins, David Rule, Ella Edwards, Franky McCain
City Attorney: Glenn Huggins
Municipal Clerk: Modora A. Gordon
Municipal Judge: J.R. Gilfoy IV

LIBERTY (Amite County) 633
Incorporated February 24, 1809
City Hall, P.O. Box 301, 39645
(601) 657-8071/(f) (601) 657-8078
Mayor: Richard H. Stratton
Board of Aldermen: Lenora N. Morgan, Carolyn Cruise, Aubrey Wayne Blalock, Charolette (Cissy) Canova, Paul R. Picard
City Attorney: Reggie Jones
Municipal Clerk: Shawn B. Felder
Municipal Judge: Roger Arnold

LONG BEACH (Harrison County) 17,320
Incorporated August 10, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 929, 39560
(228) 863-1556/(f) (228) 865-0822
Mayor: William Skellie, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Richard Bennett, Mark Lishen, Charles Boggs, Richard Notter, Allen Holder, Jr., Joseph McNary, Richard Burton
City Attorney: Frank R. McCreary III
Municipal Clerk: Rebecca Schruff
Municipal Judges: Glenn Rishel, Jr., Frank R. McCreary III, Stephen Maggio, Lisa Collums, Mike Hester

LOUIN (Jasper County) 339
Incorporated July 29, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 3, 39338
(601) 739-3630/(f) (601) 739-3630
Mayor: Rodney White
Board of Aldermen: Carol Byrd Brown, Kevin Bassett, Sydney Tally, James Phillips, Mildred Phillips
City Attorney: Thomas L. Tullos
Municipal Clerk: Betty M. Dolan
Municipal Judge: William Jordan

LOUISE (Humphreys County) 315
Incorporated December 8, 1909
City Hall, P.O. Box 224, 39097
(662) 836-5121/(f) (662) 836-3153
Mayor: Howard T. Webb, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Julian W. Crawford III, Dan Kilpatrick, Ruffin Smith, Douglas Greggory, William J. Weissinger
City Attorney: W.C. (Cham) Trotter III
Municipal Clerk: Lisa S. Neal
Municipal Judge: W.C. Trotter III

LOUISVILLE (Winston County) 7,006
Incorporated February 14, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Drawer 510, 39339
(662) 773-9201/(f) (662) 773-4045
Mayor: Daniel E. Yarbrough
Board of Aldermen: Bessie M. Love, Dickie Caperton, Eugene Crosby, Frances Ball, Judy H. McLeod
City Attorney: Taylor Tucker
Municipal Clerk: Babs W. Fulton
Municipal Judge: David T. Wilson, Jr.

LUCEDALE (George County) 2,458
Incorporated June 6, 1901
City Hall, 5126 Main St., 39452
(601) 947-2082/(f) (601) 947-4998
Mayor: Dayton E. Whites, M. D.
Board of Aldermen: Jessie Underwood, Lloyd Welford, Louis Valentine, Payton Dudley, Carrie Moulds
City Attorney: Sidney Barnett
Municipal Clerk: Kathy Johnson
Municipal Judge: Darryl A. Hurt, Jr.

LULA (Coahoma County) 370
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 326, 38644
(662) 337-4579/(f) (662) 337-4577
Mayor: Melvin Brown
Board of Aldermen: Patricia Furdge, Pamela Mitchell, Andrew Martin Brown, Emma E. Johnson, Betty C. Hopkins
City Attorney: Jole Webester
Municipal Clerk: Walter R. Barbee

LUMBERTON (Lamar and Pearl River Counties) 2,228
Incorporated January 28, 1895
City Hall, P.O. Box 211, 39455
(601) 796-8341/(f) (601) 796-2323
Mayor: Dorman A. Davis, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Quincy Rogers, Terry Cannaday, Stanley S. Rayborn, E. Nell Busby, Miriam Holder
City Attorney: Joe Montgomery
Municipal Clerk: JoAnn Ladner
Municipal Judge: Anthony Mozingo

LYON (Coahoma County) 418
Incorporated April 10, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 511, 38645
(662) 627-1600/(f) (662) 627-1600
Mayor: John R. (Woody) Sawyer
Board of Aldermen: T.O. Fulton, Jr., G. Paul Tedford, Malcolm S. Ashcraft, Jr., Alan Foster, Lee Sturdivant
City Attorney: Joseph C. Gibbs
Municipal Clerk: Beckey G. West
Municipal Judge: Joseph C. Gibbs

MABEN (Oktibbeha and Webster Counties) 803
Incorporated February 13, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box L, 39750
(662) 263-4212/(f) (662) 263-4112
Mayor: Larry L. Pruitt
Board of Aldermen: Rufus Harris, Robert J. Herd, Darrell Bryant, Patty C. Harpole, Harvey Jones
City Attorney: Cecil Simmons
Municipal Clerk: Barbara J. McCluskey
Municipal Judge: Steve Wright

MACON (Noxubee County) 2,461
Incorporated February 14, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 29, 39341
(662) 726-5847/(f) (662) 726-2409
Mayor: Bob Boykin
Board of Aldermen: James Watkins, Tommy Campbell, Willie Dixon, Jr., Charles G. Perkins, Jr. Earnestine Harmon George
City Attorney: Ricky Walker
Municipal Clerk: Pam Norris
Municipal Judge: Timothy L. Gowan

MADISON (Madison County) 14,692
Incorporated November 30, 1944
City Hall, P.O. Box 40, 39130
(601) 856-7116/(f) (601) 856-8786
Mayor: Mary Hawkins Butler
Board of Aldermen: Tawanna Tatum, Patricia Peeler, John Howland, Dan Prather, Steve Hickok, Lisa Clingan-Smith, Michael L. Hudgins
City Attorney: John Hedglin
Municipal Clerk: Susan B. Crandall
Municipal Judges: Gregory Weber, Edwin Y. Hannan

MAGEE (Simpson County) 4,200
Incorporated July 23, 1900
City Hall, 123 Main Ave. N., 39111
(601) 849-3344/(f) (601) 849-6461
Mayor: Jimmy Clyde
Board of Aldermen: Joe Mangum, Thomas Patrick Brown, Robert B. Vinson, F.M. Grubbs, Jr., Lane Steele
City Attorney: Bruce Smith
Municipal Clerk: Donald Fortenberry
Municipal Judge: William H. Smith III

MAGNOLIA (Pike County) 2,071
Incorporated April 26, 1859
City Hall, 180 S. Cherry St., 39652
(601) 783-5211/(f) (601) 783-2211
Mayor: Jim Storer
Board of Aldermen: Dennis Quinn, Claude Mullins, Melvin Harris, George Chaplain, A.J. Flowers, Jr.
City Attorney: Wayne Dowdy
Municipal Clerk: Melissa Thornhill
Municipal Judge: Lem E. Mitchell

MANTACHIE (Itawamba County) 1,107
Incorporated June 4, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 70, 38855
(662) 282-7949/(f) (662) 282-4296
Mayor: Jeff Butler
Board of Aldermen: Timothy Jones, Barry McFerrin, Dan Moore, Jr., Matt Fennell, Jane Brown
City Attorney: Raymond O'Neal
Municipal Clerk: Vickie Windham
Municipal Judge: Gerald Wallace

MANTEE (Webster County) 169
Incorporated February 9, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 2348, 39751
(662) 456-4571
Mayor: Mary Francis Baker
Board of Aldermen: Wes Johnson, Chris Shea, Kim Davis, Barbara Pumphrey, Waynette Clark
City Attorney: George Mitchell
Municipal Clerk: Dewyatt Winter
Municipal Judge: Jerry Jones

MARIETTA (Prentiss County) 248
Incorporated March 12, 1856
City Hall, P.O. Box 88, 38856
(662) 728-9320/(f) (662) 728-9320
Mayor: Judy Ramey
Board of Aldermen: Mike Carter, Ronnie Livingston, Craig Pharr, Sarah Greene, Dale Kennedy
City Attorney: John Hatcher
Municipal Clerk: Cindy Ramey
Municipal Judge: Billy Sartin

MARION (Lauderdale County) 1,305
Incorporated February 8, 1838
City Hall, P.O. Box 35, 39342
(601) 483-9573/(f) (601) 482-4827
Mayor: Elvis Hudson
Board of Aldermen: Norman C. Coleman, Rita S. Rawson, Larry D. Thrash, Joel F. Wagner III, Bobbie Sherrod
City Attorney: Thomas L. Goldman
Municipal Clerk: Charlotee Rasco
Municipal Judge: James S. Edwards

MARKS (Quitman County) 1,551
Incorporated January 1, 1907
City Hall, P.O. Box 315, 38646
(662) 326-3161/(f) (662) 326-3164
Mayor: Aubrey Collums
Board of Aldermen: Perry Campbell, James Figgs, Timmy Jamison, James P. Cassidy, Joe Shegog, Jr.
City Attorney: Jimmy Miller
Municipal Clerk: Alma Harris
Municipal Judge: Robert G. Roy

MATHISTON (Choctaw and Webster Counties) 720
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 178, 39752
(662) 263-4898/(f) (662) 263-4873
Mayor: Jimmy P. Carden
Board of Aldermen: Matthew Carden, Lavelle McAlpin, Earl Frost, Harvey Pinnix, Jeff Haney
City Attorney: Joe C. Griffin
Municipal Clerk: Rachel Robinson
Municipal Judge: Buchanan Meek, Jr.

MAYERSVILLE (Issaquena County) 795
Incorporated April 5, 1872
City Hall, P.O. Box 188, 39113
(662) 873-6439/(f) (662) 873-4671
Mayor: Linda W. Short
Board of Aldermen: George Reynolds, Annie Cartlidge, Gayle Bunton-Coleman, Fannie Marshall White, Linda C. Green
City Attorney: Charles Weissinger
Municipal Clerk: Donna Stewart

MCCOMB (Pike County) 13,337
Incorporated April 5, 1872
City Hall, P.O. Box 667, 39649
(601) 684-4000/(f) (601) 684-7656
Mayor: Thomas H. Walman
Board of Aldermen: Warren Ellis Gilmore, Marvin Godbold, Danny Esch, David W. Myers, Melvin (Joe) Johnson, Robert Maddox
City Attorney: John H. White, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Russell L. Wall
Municipal Judge: Danny Smith

MCCOOL (Attala County) 182
Incorporated January 24, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 115, 39108
(662) 547-9973/(f) (662) 547-9973
Mayor: Kenneth O. Barnett
Board of Aldermen: W.M. Blaine, Tery Dempsey, Harold Graham, Mark Hill, Eddie Jackson
City Attorney: George Dorrill
Municipal Clerk: Frances Becton

MCLAIN (Greene County) 603
Incorporated May 27, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 5, 39456
(601) 753-2205/(f) (601) 753-2205
Mayor: Jimmie G. McLain
Board of Aldermen: Melanie Leigh, Billy Hobby, Clyde Sylvester, Billy E. Harvison, George L. Williams
City Attorney: Annie Amos
Municipal Clerk: Sherrie Burley
Municipal Judge: Jeff Byrd

MEADVILLE (Franklin County) 519
Incorporated August 21, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box 309, 39653
(601) 384-5208/(f) (601) 384-5219
Mayor: W.P. (Sonny) Dickey, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Bart Jones, Charles Calcote, David Scarbrough, Vanessa Walker, Bobby Kelly
City Attorney: James A. Torrey, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Debra Emfinger
Municipal Judge: William J. Halford, Jr.

MENDENHALL (Simpson County) 2,555
Incorporated January 30, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 487, 39114
(601) 847-1212/(f) (601) 847-1821
Mayor: Randall O. Neely
Board of Aldermen: Bill Broadhead, Ardell Washington, Frankie M. Jones, Jeff May, Greg Paes
City Attorney: William Smith III
Municipal Clerk: Judi May
Municipal Judge: Bruce Smith

MERIDIAN (Lauderdale County) 39,968
Incorporated February 10, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 1430, 39301
(601) 485-1927/(f) (601) 485-1911
Mayor: John Robert Smith
Board of Aldermen: Jesse E. Palmer, Sr., George M Thomas, Mary A.B. Perry, Barbara A. Henson, John Calvin Harris
City Attorney: William C. (Bill) Hammack
Municipal Clerk: L.E. (Ed) Skipper
Municipal Judges: Lester Williamson, Jr., Beauchamp Jones III

MERIGOLD (Bolivar County) 664
Incorporated March 11, 1901
City Hall, P.O. Box 348, 38759
(662) 748-2765/(f) (662) 748-2670
Mayor: Andrew Westerfield
Board of Aldermen: Therlene Holliday, Charles W. Miller, Ken McGarrh, John Wesley Thomas
City Attorney: Kirkham Povall
Municipal Clerk: Edna Scott Lloyd
Municipal Judge: James Strait

METCALFE (Washington County) 1,109
Incorporated November 4, 1977
City Hall, P.O. Box 250, 38760
(662) 335-0212/(f) (662) 378-8041
Mayor: Shirley S. Allen
Board of Aldermen: Bobby B. Williams, Janet Thomas Rhodes, Raymond Scott, Sr., Jake Antonio Allen, Betty Murray Johnson
City Attorney: Willie Griffin
Municipal Clerk: Brenda J. Gibbs
Municipal Judge: Bernadine Young

MIZE (Smith County) 285
Incorporated April 18, 1902
City Hall, P.O. Box 68, 39116
(601) 733-2221/(f) (601) 733-2220
Mayor: C. Gerald Vance, Sr.
Board of Aldermen: Larry Allen, Karen Windham, Mark S. Roberts, Angela Freeman, Michael A. Sullivan
City Attorney: David Garner
Municipal Clerk: Virigina Bynum
Municipal Judge: Hulon West

MONTICELLO (Lawrence County) 1,726
Incorporated November 10, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 822, 39654
(601) 587-0045/(f) (601) 587-0064
Mayor: David H. Nichols II
Board of Aldermen: Kevin Garrett, Steve Moreman, Jerry W. Goode, James A. Wilson, Craig S. Davis
City Attorney: Joe Dale Walker
Municipal Clerk: Ruth Spicer
Municipal Judge: Albert Turnage

MONTROSE (Jasper County) 127
Incorporated August 23, 1904
City Hall, 145 CR 1553, 39338
(601) 739-3532/(f) (601) 739-3568
Mayor: Carl Gene Matthews
Board of Aldermen: Eddie Norvell, Edna Pugh, Kenny Smith, Shirley Johnson, Jenell Nix
City Attorney: Tommy Tullos
Municipal Clerk: James Nix

MOORHEAD (Sunflower County) 2,573
Incorporated December 14, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 578, 38761
(662) 246-5461/(f) (662) 246-5037
Mayor: John E. Carpenter
Board of Aldermen: Harvey Lee Green, Sr., Willie Knighten, Allen Snowden, Thomas J. Fairley
City Attorney: Alica Thomas
Municipal Clerk: Virginia Silas
Municipal Judge: Jessie R. Edwards III

MORGAN CITY (Leflore County) 305
Incorporated February 12, 1968
City Hall, P.O. Box 212, 38946
(662) 254-7627
Mayor: Chris Makamson
Board of Aldermen: Royce A. Moses, James G. Johnson, Billy Haggie, Sr., Carloyn C. Branch, Bert Robertson
City Attorney: Richard Oakes
Municipal Clerk: Wesley F. Johnson

MORTON (Scott County) 3,482
Incorporated April 10, 1861
City Hall, P.O. Box 555, 39117
(601) 732-6252/(f) (601) 732-7188
Mayor: Greg Butler
Board of Aldermen: W.R. Booth, Janet Laseter Jones, Freddie L. Owens, Oneida Hollis, David B. French
City Attorney: Hez Hollingsworth
Municipal Clerk: Dorothy Redeemer
Municipal Judge: Wilbur McCurdy

MOSS POINT (Jackson County) 15,851
Incorporated April 29, 1901
City Hall, 4412 Denny St., 39563
(228) 475-0300/(f) (228) 475-6216
Mayor: Xavier Z. Bishop
Board of Aldermen: Alfred Bodden, Nancy Norvel, James Smith, Michael A. Middleton, Charles Molden, Aneice Liddell, Thomas L. Hightower
City Attorney: Richie E. Perkins
Municipal Clerk: Adlean Liddell
Municipal Judge: Maxine L. Conway

MOUND BAYOU (Bolivar County) 2,102
Incorporated February 23, 1898
City Hall, P.O. Box 680, 38762
(662) 741-2193/(f) (662) 741-2195
Mayor: Kennedy Johnson
Board of Aldermen: Isaiah Peterson, Larry Haywood, William Crockett, Joe Jennings, Bonita A. Conwell
City Attorney: Linda Coleman
Municipal Clerk: Milburn J. Crowe
Municipal Judge: Harold Ward

MOUNT OLIVE (Covington County) 893
Incorporated May 18, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 510, 39119
(601) 797-3496/(f) (601) 797-3035
Mayor: Robert McNair
Board of Aldermen: Ramon Johnston, Angela Diehl, George H. Powell, Roger D. Pittman, Kathryn McGee
Municipal Clerk: Janette Comans
Municipal Judge: Reggie Blackledge

MYRTLE (Union County) 407
Incorporated February 1, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 127, 38650
(662) 988-2220/(f) (662) 988-2210
Mayor: Joe M. Rials
Board of Aldermen: Fleurette Ausburn, Carolyn McCuistion, David Brown, Joseph Graham, Jeanette Thomas
City Attorney: Marie Tate
Municipal Clerk: Robert D. Childers
Municipal Judge: Robert Childers

NATCHEZ (Adams County) 18,464
Incorporated March 10, 1803
City Hall, P.O. Box 1185, 39120
(601) 445-7500/(f) (601) 442-2536
Mayor: Phillip C. West
Board of Aldermen: Theodore West, Joyce Mathis, Bob Pollard, Rickey Gray, David M. Massey, Jake Middleton
City Attorney: Walter Brown
Municipal Clerk: Donnie Holloway
Municipal Judge: Jim Blough

NETTLETON (Lee and Monroe Counties) 1,932
Incorporated March 9, 1888
City Hall, Box 1301, 38858
(662) 963-2605/(f) (662) 963-2168
Mayor: Brandon E. Presley
Board of Aldermen: Ann Pender Harris, Kirk Lindsey, Chris Patterson, Jimmy Moore, Willie Bob, Jr.
City Attorney: Michael Malski
Municipal Clerk: Bill Tapscott
Municipal Judge: Andrew K. Hood

NEW ALBANY (Union County) 7,607
Incorporated March 4, 1850
City Hall, P.O. Box 56, 38652
(662) 534-1010/(f) (662) 534-1045
Mayor: Tim Kent
Board of Aldermen: Dan Skinner, Larry Sanford, Tommie L. Beasley, Jeff Olson, Bill Tucker
City Attorney: Robert Carter
Municipal Clerk: Anne Neal
Municipal Judge: Stephen P. Livingston

NEW AUGUSTA (Perry County) 715
Incorporated June 3, 1953
City Hall, P.O. Box 401, 39462
(601) 964-3710/(f) (601) 964-3719
Mayor: Albert Garner
Board of Aldermen: Thomas Anthony Ladner, Patci D. Gregory, W. David Gallaspy, Roger D. Jones, James Benefield
City Attorney: Chipper Johnson
Municipal Clerk: Emily Holder
Municipal Judges: George H. Gunter, James V. Poe

NEW HEBRON (Lawrence County) 447
Incorporated March 12, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box 173, 39140
(601) 694-2114/(f) (601) 694-2115
Mayor: Cindy S. Bryan
Board of Aldermen: Ronnie Chavis, Ronnie Jones, Roy A. Berry, Charles Grayson, Eddie Rogers
Municipal Clerk: Ann T. May
Municipal Judge: Bobby Fortenberry

NEW HOULKA (Chickasaw County) 710
Incorporated November 20, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 416, Houlka, 38850
(662) 568-2746/(f) (662) 568-7951
Mayor: Jose Phine Higginbotham
Board of Aldermen: David Wiggs, Beverly Davidson, Johnny H. Butler, R.A. Easley, Fred Wilson
City Attorney: James M. Hood, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Jo Ann Pate
Municipal Judge: Gary Turner

NEWTON (Newton County) 3,699
Incorporated October 30, 1866
City Hall, P.O. Box 300, 39345-0300
(601) 683-6181/(f) (601) 683-6448
Mayor: Michael Pickens
Board of Aldermen: Michael Hillie, Murray Weems, Carolyn Lucas-Moore, Ronnie Earl Johnson, Eric McCalphia
City Attorney: Robert Logan
City Attorney: Robert Logan
Municipal Clerk: Janice Bridges
Municipal Judge: Edmund J. Phillips, Jr.

NORTH CARROLLTON (Carroll County) 499
Incorporated March 29, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 305, 38947
(662) 237-9268/(f) (662) 237-9268
Mayor: Nancy Spellman
Board of Aldermen: Charles H. McCluskey, Tom Hearn, Dianne Slocum, Trey Dunn, Warren Mitchell Costilow
City Attorney: Kevin Horan
Municipal Clerk: Vicki Bakston
Municipal Judge: Mary Alma Bingham

NOXAPATER (Winston County) 419
Incorporated April 25, 1906
City Hall, P.O. Box 266, 39346
(662) 724-4476/(f) (662) 724-2697
Mayor: Tommy Gardner
Board of Aldermen: Grady Suttle, Nick Hensley, Robert R. Wall, Jr., Hugh Brian Burrage, Jessie James Hudson
City Attorney: James Mayo
Municipal Clerk: Faye Ellis
Municipal Judge: David T. Wilson, Jr.

OAKLAND (Yalobusha County) 586
Incorporated February 28, 1848
City Hall, P.O. Box 57, 38948
(662) 623-8668/(f) (662) 623-9726
Mayor: James R. Swearengen
Board of Aldermen: Larry Ellis, Booker T. Swearengen, Joe W. Jenkins, George Booker, Jr., Charles E. Johnson
City Attorney: Thomas U. Reynolds
Municipal Clerk: Lula H. Alford
Municipal Judge: John W. Whitten III

OCEAN SPRINGS (Jackson County) 17,225
Incorporated February 27, 1854
City Hall, P.O. Box 1800, 39566
(228) 875-4236/(f) (228) 875-9671
Mayor: Connie Moran
Board of Aldermen: Greg Denyer, James R. Hagan, Curtis J. Lloyd, Matt McDonnell, Julia Weaver, Jerry Dalgo, John Gill
City Attorney: John Edwards
Municipal Clerk: Adrienne Howell
Municipal Judge: Matthew Mestayer

OKOLONA (Chickasaw County) 3,056
Incorporated March 4, 1850
City Hall, P.O. Box 111, 38860
(662) 447-5461/(f) (662) 447-3956
Mayor: Sherman R. Carouthers
Board of Aldermen: Anthony Floyd, Regina H. Pickens, Mary L. Gates, Kenneth McKay, Eldridge Lowe, Billy Reifers
City Attorney: Ellie Word
Municipal Clerk: Anna Stovall
Municipal Judge: Kenneth Mayfield

OLIVE BRANCH (DeSoto County) 21,054
Incorporated April 11, 1873
City Hall, 9189 Pigeon Roost, 38654
(662) 895-3166/(f) (662) 892-9224
Mayor: Samuel P. Rikard
Board of Aldermen: Joyce Haslip, Dale Dickerson, George Collins, Maurice Wallace, Stephen Benson, Randy Cowgill, Aubrey Coleman
City Attorney: Gary P. Snyder
Municipal Clerk: Judy Herrington
Municipal Judges: Leslie B. Shumake, Jr., Jim McGarrah

OSYKA (Pike County) 481
Incorporated November 3, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 23, 39657
(601) 542-5041/(f) (601) 542-5832
Mayor: Jamie Harrell
Board of Aldermen: Paul Stewart, Tate Ott, Jr., Tommy Kizer, Carey Christian, Bob Wall
City Attorney: Dudley Lampton
Municipal Clerk: Hilda Wall
Municipal Judge: Lem E. Mitchell

OXFORD (Lafayette County) 11,756
Incorporated May 11, 1837
City Hall, 107 Courthouse Sq., 38655
(662) 236-2340/(f) (662) 232-2337
Mayor: Richard C. Howorth
Board of Aldermen: Bill Baker, Jon Fisher, Ernest Oliver, Janice Antonow, Preston Taylor, Ulysses Howell, Pat Patterson
City Attorney: Mayo Mallette
Municipal Clerk: Lisa D. Carwyle
Municipal Judge: Lawrence Little

PACE (Bolivar County) 364
Incorporated May 25, 1923
City Hall, P.O. Box 216, 38764
(662) 723-6292/(f) (662) 723-6198
Mayor: Mae Rosie Williams-Johnson
Board of Aldermen: Johnny F. Bradley, Sr., Patricia A. Pates, Meredith Hall, Beverly A. Shelly, Linda W. Hall
City Attorney: Aelicia Thomas
Municipal Clerk: Rachel Ramiz
Municipal Judge: Harold Ward

PACHUTA (Clarke County) 245
Incorporated February 5, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 189, 39347
(601) 776-3131/(f) (601) 776-5677
Mayor: Alton Lightsey
Board of Aldermen: Glenda Bennett, Shirley Johnson, Terry Herring, Keith Bogan, J.P. Richardson, Jr.
City Attorney: Robert Covington
Municipal Clerk: Kathy C. Avera

PADEN (Tishomingo County) 106
Incorporated September 18, 1919
City Hall, 43 Lennon Ave., 38873
(662) 438-7058
Mayor: Pam Oswalt
Board of Aldermen: Jackie Butler, Glenn Cunningham, Lela McClung, Pam Oswalt, H.V. Luttrell
City Attorney: Cindy Cunningham
Municipal Clerk: Gayle Tennison

PASCAGOULA (Jackson County) 26,200
Incorporated February 9, 1838
City Hall, P.O. Box 908, 39567
(228) 762-1020/(f) (228) 938-6749
Mayor: Joe D. Cole, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Matthew J. Avara, Bebe A. Sutherland, Robert Stallworth, Sr., Keith Belcher, Joe Abston
City Attorney: Melvin Mitchell
Municipal Clerk: Brenda J. Reed
Municipal Judge: Michael Fondren

PASS CHRISTIAN (Harrison County) 6,579
Incorporated February 21, 1848
City Hall, P.O. Box 368, 39571
(228) 452-3310/(f) (228) 452-5435
Mayor: Billy McDonald
Board of Aldermen: Leo A. McDermott, Anthony Hall, Louis Rizzardi, Joe Piernas, Donald Moore
City Attorney: Malcolm F. Jones
Municipal Clerk: Vickki A. Goff
Municipal Judge: Frank P. Wittmann III

PEARL (Rankin County) 21,961
Incorporated June 5, 1973
City Hall, P.O. Box 5948, 39288
(601) 932-2262/(f) (601) 932-3568
Mayor: Jimmy Foster
Board of Aldermen: Brad Rogers, Michael Sartor, James W. Bush, Jack Rice, Jerry Grant, Tommie Hill, Lonnie Jenkins
City Attorney: Jim Bobo
Municipal Clerk: Kay Lang
Municipal Judge: Dewey B. Miller

PELAHATCHIE (Rankin County) 1,461
Incorporated March 3, 1882
City Hall, P.O. Box 229, 39145
(601) 854-5224/(f) (601) 854-5266
Mayor: Nox W. Ross, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Frank Boyd, Michael Adams, Jerry Norwood, Billy Watson, Margie A. Warren
City Attorney: Craig Slay
Municipal Clerk: Bettye Massey
Municipal Judge: Mark C. Baker, Sr.

PETAL (Forrest County) 7,579
Incorporated February 21, 1973
City Hall, P.O. Box 564, 39465
(601) 545-1776/(f) (601) 545-6685
Mayor: Carl L. Scott
Board of Aldermen: Steve Stringer, Lisesa Weaver, David Clayton, James Moore, Kay Fairley
City Attorney: Thomas W. Tyner
Municipal Clerk: Jean Ishee
Municipal Judge: Sheila Smallwood

PHILADELPHIA (Neshoba County) 7,303
Incorporated February 15, 1838
City Hall, 525 Main St., 39350
(601) 656-3612/(f) (601) 656-7273
Mayor: Rayburn Waddell
Board of Aldermen: Roy White, Ronnie Jenkins, Bobbie Jackson, Janice Payne, Joe Tullos
City Attorney: Robert Thomas
Municipal Clerk: Brenda H. Mills
Municipal Judge: Donnie Adkins

PICAYUNE (Pearl River County) 10,535
Incorporated September 30, 1904
City Hall, 203 Goodyear Blvd., 39466
(228) 798-9770/(f) (228) 798-0564
Mayor: Greg Mitchell
Board of Aldermen: Leavern Guy, Sr., Donald L. Parker, Anna Bales Turnage, Larry Watkins, Jerry Bounds
City Attorney: Nathan Farmer
Municipal Clerk: Cindy Cole
Municipal Judge: M.D. Tate II

PICKENS (Holmes County) 1,325
Incorporated April 10, 1893
City Hall, P.O. Box 297, 39146
(662) 468-2171/(f) (662) 468-2172
Mayor: Jonathan Moore
Board of Aldermen: Billy Anderson, David J. Johnson, Etta B. Greer, Larry Dennis, Joel L. Gill
City Attorney: Wiley Barbour
Municipal Clerk: Karen W. Jackson
Municipal Judge: Jim Arnold

PITTSBORO (Calhoun County) 212
Incorporated October 16, 1852
City Hall, P.O. Box 187, 38951
(662) 412-2053/(f) (662) 412-2053
Mayor: Reda Bullard
Board of Aldermen: Keith Thacker, Barbara Kellum, Cindy D. Hubbard, Fred M. Bullard, James W. Franklin, Jr.
City Attorney: Robert E. Oakley
Municipal Clerk: Cynthia Poteete

PLANTERSVILLE (Lee County) 1,144
Incorporated February 24, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 507, 38862
(662) 844-2012/(f) (662) 840-9565
Mayor: Viola M. Foster
Board of Aldermen: Jack Wuichet, Chink Freeman, Marla Grant, Charles Heard, Vicki Rigby
City Attorney: Jason Shelton
Municipal Clerk: Norma Chandler
Municipal Judge: John H. Sheffield

POLKVILLE (Smith County) 132
Incorporated June 6, 1969
City Hall, 511 SCR 150-A, 39117
(601) 537-3115/(f) (601) 537-3115
Mayor: Robert Miles
Board of Aldermen: Bill Wiggins, Don Miller, Margaret Pickens, Gerald Easterling, Mike Phillips
City Attorney: Mark Tullos
Municipal Clerk: Emma Faye Myers
Municipal Judge: Wilbur McCurdy

PONTOTOC (Pontotoc County) 5,253
Incorporated May 3, 1837
City Hall, 116 N. Main St., 38863
(662) 489-4321/(f) (662) 489-7568
Mayor: Bill Rutledge
Board of Aldermen: Terry A. Chewe, Tommy Patterson, Bob Peoples, Johnny Seale, Terry Weeks
City Attorney: William L. Sneed
Municipal Clerk: Pat Clayton
Municipal Judge: Sidra P. Winter

POPE (Panola County) 241
Incorporated April 4, 1872
City Hall, P.O. Box 126, 38658
(662) 563-4799 or (662) 563-5656
Mayor: Ricky Briscoe
Board of Aldermen: Farris Green, Jr., John Mark Pickett, W.T. Rickard, Edith M. Pratt, Ricky Roebuck
City Attorney: Jay Westfaul
Municipal Judge: Jay Westfaul

POPLARVILLE (Pearl River County) 2,601
Incorporated March 15, 1884
City Hall, 200 Hwy. 26 E., 39470
(601) 795-8161/(f) (601) 795-0141
Mayor: Billy W. Spiers
Board of Aldermen: Shirley Wiltshire, Bill Winbora, John Sherman, Byron Wells, John Grant, Jr.
City Attorney: Jody Stuart
Municipal Clerk: Martha Smith
Municipal Judge: Nell Cowart

PORT GIBSON (Claiborne County) 1,840
Incorporated March 12, 1803
City Hall, P.O. Box 607, 39150
(601) 437-4234/(f) (601) 437-8667
Mayor: Amelda Arnold
Board of Aldermen: Michael A. White, Vera Johnson, Eddie Walls, Jr., Kenneth Davis, Leslie Case, Thomas Russum
City Attorney: Paul Winfield
Municipal Clerk: Vanessa W. Shaifer
Municipal Judge: Ben Andrews

POTTS CAMP (Marshall County) 494
Incorporated February 28, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 57, 38659
(662) 333-7285/(f) (662) 333-7287
Mayor: Jimmie Collins
Board of Aldermen: Al Beard, Carol Jean Davis, Joan Cox, Casey Mayer, Will Bowen
City Attorney: Robert Childers
Municipal Clerk: Marie Tate
Municipal Judge: Ernest Cunningham

PRENTISS (Jefferson Davis County) 1,158
Incorporated March 3, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 1344, 39474
(601) 792-5196/(f) (601) 792-5190
Mayor: Charles A. Dumas
Board of Aldermen: Sylvia S. Ward, Willard J. Davis, Robert G. Miller, Harold Stamps, Todd Broome
City Attorney: Wes Daughdrill
Municipal Clerk: Wondra Dale
Municipal Judge: Albert Turnage

PUCKETT (Rankin County) 354
Incorporated October 20, 1955
City Hall, P.O. Box 130, 39151
(601) 825-8074/(f) (601) 825-8074
Mayor: Russell Espiritu
Board of Aldermen: Walter Brent Purvis, Shirlee Stribling, Rufus Vanderford, Kathy A. McWilliams, John Christopher Calhoun
City Attorney: Mark C. Baker
Municipal Clerk: Joyce Forshee
Municipal Judge: Ken Fairly

PURVIS (Lamar County) 2,164
Incorporated February 25, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 308, 39475
(601) 794-2472/(f) (601) 794-2947
Mayor: Roger H. Herrin
Board of Aldermen: John W. Jordan, Milton Bourn, Nancy M. Pylant, Leon Vernon Hartfield, Allen Stuart
City Attorney: William E. Andrews III
Municipal Clerk: Sheila Speights
Municipal Judge: William E. Anderson, Jr.

QUITMAN (Clarke County) 2,463
Incorporated February 14, 1839
City Hall, P.O. Box 16, 39355
(601) 776-3728/(f) (601) 776-4016
Mayor: Bill G. Clark
Board of Aldermen: James Buchanan, J.T. Thomas, Harvey Underwood, Robert H. Donald III, Joe Brooks
City Attorney: Edward N. Kramer
Municipal Clerk: Karen H. Shepherd
Municipal Judge: Jim Potuk

RALEIGH (Smith County) 1,255
Incorporated July 1, 1935
City Hall, P.O. Box 355, 39153
(601) 782-4672/(f) (601) 782-4278
Mayor: Bobby Maddox
Board of Aldermen: James L. Butler, Cynthia Porter, Terry G. Hudson, Otis Seaberry, Tracy A. Westbrook
City Attorney: Geral Martin
Municipal Clerk: Helen Bounds
Municipal Judges: Jerry Baldwin, Gary King

RAYMOND (Hinds County) 1,664
Incorporated December 15, 1830
City Hall, P.O. Box 10, 39154
(601) 857-8041/(f) (601) 857-0105
Mayor: Isla O. Tullos
Board of Aldermen: Sidney T. Mitchell, Jack G. Moss, K.P. Lewis, Randall Harris, Aubrey C. Barnette
City Attorney: John Fike
Municipal Clerk: Brenda A. Hubbard
Municipal Judge: William W. Ferguson

RENOVA (Bolivar County) 623
Incorporated July 27, 1920
City Hall, 5 Second St., 38732
(662) 843-8233
Mayor: Maurice F. Lucas
Board of Aldermen: Lenora C. Payne, Harvey Green, Milton Hunt, Elbert G. Scott, Manuel Coleman, Jr.
City Attorney: Willie Griffin
Municipal Clerk: Pamela R. Martin

RICHLAND (Rankin County) 6,027
Incorporated February 18, 1850
City Hall, P.O. Box 180609, 39218-0609
(601) 932-3000/(f) (601) 932-9229
Mayor: Mark Scarborough
Board of Aldermen: Pat Sullivan, Cathey Wynne, Ronnie Bridges, Bob Wedgeworth, Robert Craft
City Attorney: Paul Henderson
Municipal Clerk: Melinda Quick
Municipal Judge: Richard Redfern

RICHTON (Perry County) 1,038
Incorporated October 14, 1905
City Hall, P.O. Box 493, 39476
(601) 788-6015/(f) (601) 788-6080
Mayor: Jimmy L. White
Board of Aldermen: F. Wayne Adams, Charlotte McIlwain Rahaim, Larry A. Wilson, L.D. Ready, Joel Thoms
City Attorney: Vicki Leggett
Municipal Clerk: Terri L. Dunn
Municipal Judge: William T. Odom

RIDGELAND (Madison County) 20,173
Incorporated December 29, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 217, 39158
(601) 856-7113/(f) (601) 853-7819
Mayor: Gene F. McGee
Board of Aldermen: Gerald D. Steen, Linda Davis Trunzler, Ken Heard, Scott Jones, Chuck Gautier, Larry H. Roberts, Kevin Holder
City Attorney: Jerry Mills
Municipal Clerk: David W. Overby
Municipal Judges: Robert W. Camp, Harold B. McCarley

RIENZI (Alcorn County) 330
Incorporated December 14, 1859
City Hall, P.O. Box 53, 38865
(662) 462-5315
Mayor: David Potts
Board of Aldermen: Melissa Bearden Morgan, Jimmy Bishop, Sandra Williams, Walter Williams, David Wayne Massey
City Attorney: Eugene Gifford
Municipal Clerk: Elaine Pitts

RIPLEY (Tippah County) 5,478
Incorporated May 9, 1837
City Hall, 500 S. Main St., 38663
(662) 837-0130/(f) (662) 837-2212
Mayor: Mike Harrison
Board of Aldermen: Randy Windham, Wade Crawford, Ken McCoy, Tommy Smith, Gilroy Bails
City Attorney: W. Price Elliott
Municipal Clerk: Elizabeth H. Shelton
Municipal Judge: Kevin Hall

ROLLING FORK (Sharkey County) 2,486
Incorporated March 5, 1880
City Hall, P.O. Box 310, 39159
(662) 873-2814/(f) (662) 873-2920
Mayor: Eldridge L. Walker
Board of Aldermen: Charles McPhail, Charles Russell, LaDonna Sias, James Denson, Angelia Eason
City Attorney: Allen Woodard
Municipal Clerk: Dorothy K. Pearson
Municipal Judge: Sarah Hodnett

ROSEDALE (Bolivar County) 2,414
Incorporated February 2, 1882
City Hall, P.O. Box 370, 38769
(662) 759-6813/(f) (662) 759-6731
Mayor: Carey G. Estes
Board of Aldermen: Tracy Robinson, Elizabeth Lewis, James Bolden, Lucille Mayfield
City Attorney: Robert S. Crump
Municipal Clerk: Tarsha Lewis
Municipal Judge: James Strait

ROXIE (Franklin County) 569
Incorporated September 6, 1911
City Hall, P.O. Box 117, 39661
(601) 322-7301/(f) (601) 322-7315
Mayor: Ricky Wilson
Board of Aldermen: Mickey Wilson, R. Darrell Halford, Gary Cameron, Mark Youngblood, Barry Armand Williams
City Attorney: W.J. Alford
Municipal Clerk: Roman Mullins

RULEVILLE (Sunflower County) 3,234
Incorporated September 23, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 428, 38771
(662) 756-2791/(f) (662) 756-4590
Mayor: Shirley Jean Edwards
Board of Aldermen: Hattie Robinson Jordan, James Johnson, Johnny Hill, Maro Robinson, James Butch Jenkins
City Attorney: Daniel J. Griffith
Municipal Clerk: Edna Beverly

SALLIS (Attala County) 114
Incorporated March 4, 1875
City Hall, P.O. Box 73, 39160
(662) 289-5802/(f) (662) 290-8466
Mayor: James Ables
Board of Aldermen: George D. McLellan, James Ellis, Linda Hutchison, Kelly Hutchison, John Roby
City Attorney: Jason White
Municipal Clerk: Melissa Roberts

SALTILLO (Lee County) 3,393
Incorporated July 20, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 1426, 38866
(662) 869-5431/(f) (662) 869-5689
Mayor: Bill Williams
Board of Aldermen: Terry Glidewell, Bill Cherry, Beverly Bedford, Cliff Nichols, Mitchell Brazeal
City Attorney: Jim Weir
Municipal Clerk: Annette Bentley
Municipal Judge: Pat Carr

SANDERSVILLE (Jones County) 789
Incorporated March 12, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 692, 39477
(601) 649-3068/(f) (601) 649-3622
Mayor: A.R. Lightsey, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Billy deBoxtel, Jimmy R. Hill, Curtis G. (Jerry) Robinson, Harmon Hill, Robert (Bob) White
City Attorney: Henry Davis, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Barbara Monk
Municipal Judge: David Lyons

SARDIS (Panola County) 2,038
Incorporated October 22, 1866
City Hall, P.O. Box 306, 38666
(662) 487-2371/(f) (662) 487-3389
Mayor: Alvis L. Dye
Board of Aldermen: Mike Wilson, Douglas Rivers McArthur, Joseph M. Still, Roy L. Scallorn, Rufus Smith
City Attorney: Thomas E. Shuler
Municipal Clerk: Odessa Johnson
Municipal Judge: Jimmy McClure

SATARTIA (Yazoo County) 68
Incorporated February 20, 1875
City Hall, P.O. Box 24, 39162
(662) 746-7780
Mayor: Rob Nesbit
Board of Aldermen: Danny Parrett, Lewis Davis, Charles Laugrin
City Attorney: Hattie Hanks
Municipal Clerk: Michael Harris

SCHLATER (Leflore County) 388
Incorporated September 23, 1968
City Hall, P.O. Box 196, 38952
(662) 658-4891
Mayor: Jason Colquett
Board of Aldermen: Ronnie Counts, Cheyenne C. McLemore, J.C. Horne, Jr., Lark Brown, Dennis Cage
City Attorney: Cindy Gary
Municipal Clerk: Grace Minyard

SCOOBA (Kemper County) 632
Incorporated April 9, 1873
City Hall, P.O. Box 68, 39358
(662) 476-8451/(f) (662) 476-8281
Mayor: Allen Beaty

Board of Aldermen: Maxne Puckett, Wilie Dew, Kenneth Kingery, Jane Marie Williams, Chris Collins
City Attorney: Marvin Wiggins
Municipal Clerk: Undine Richardson
Municipal Judge: Hardy R. Stennis

SEBASTOPOL (Scott County) 233
Incorporated October 6, 1926
City Hall, P.O. Box 112, 39359
(601) 625-7200/(f) (601) 625-8538
Mayor: Greg McGarrity
Board of Aldermen: Larry Bennett, Al Easom, Loyd Glaze, Michael Weaver, Carolyn Johnson
City Attorney: Thomas D. Lee
Municipal Clerk: Angeline A. Wolverton
Municipal Judge: Robert G. Wilkerson

SEMINARY (Covington County) 335
Incorporated November 10, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 295, 39479
(601) 722-9426/(f) (601) 722-9428
Mayor: Billy D. Karolyi
Board of Aldermen: Richard B. (Rick) Hux, Michael Wilcosky, David Daniel, Freddy Bullock, David Aultman
Municipal Clerk: Susan Hemeter

SENATOBIA (Tate County) 6,682
Incorporated February 10, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 1020, 38668
(662) 562-4474/(f) (662) 562-4476
Mayor: Alan Callicott
Board of Aldermen: Lana Nail, A.C. (Cleo) Sykes, Michael Cathey, Mike Putt, Buford Givens
City Attorney: Keneth Stockton
Municipal Clerk: Kay Minton
Municipal Judge: John T. Lamar, Jr.

SHANNON (Lee County) 1,657
Incorporated July 20, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 6, 38868
(662) 767-9747/(f) (662) 767-3206
Mayor: Ronnie Hallmark
Board of Aldermen: Joey McCord, Mary E. Gardner, Judy D. Johnson, Debra Grubbs, James R. Rutherford
City Attorneys: Gary Carnthan, Mike Malsky
Municipal Clerk: Mary Lee Helms
Municipal Judge: John H. Sheffield

SHAW (Bolivar and Sunflower Counties) 2,312
Incorporated March 15, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 679, 38773
(662) 754-3131/(f) (662) 754-5744
Mayor: Damen Shaw
Board of Aldermen: Catherine L. Farris, Diana D. Diggs, Valerie L. Smith, Calvin Holmes, Bill A. Williams
City Attorney: Alma C. Campbell
Municipal Clerk: Cynthia D. Hawkins
Municipal Judge: James Strait

SHELBY (Bolivar County) 2,926
Incorporated February 19, 1890
City Hall, P.O. Box 43, 38774
(662) 398-5156/(f) (662) 398-7878
Mayor: Robert Patton
Board of Aldermen: Preston Billings, Dan Harris, Jr., Nathianal Boss, Curtis Hooper, Dorothy Ann King Gram
City Attorney: Alfred Levingston Jefferey
Municipal Clerk: Carmere Scott
Municipal Judge: James Strait

SHERMAN (Lee, Pontotoc, and Union Counties) 548
Incorporated March 3, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 397, 38869
(662) 840-9185/(f) (662) 842-2517

Mayor: Ben Logan
Board of Aldermen: Stacy Scott, Dianne Jolly, Todd McDonald, Flo Rogers, Wayne Bullock
City Attorney: Ben Logan
Municipal Clerk: Connie Allen
Municipal Judge: Ronnie Rakestraw

SHUBUTA (Clarke County) 651
Incorporated November 8, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 416, 39360
(601) 687-1536/(f) (601) 687-1291
Mayor: Clyde Brown
Board of Aldermen: Charles McFarland, Willie B. Nelson, Oscar Blakley, Jr., Jeanie S. McDonald, Richard Carter
City Attorney: Curtis L. Bates
Municipal Clerk: Elizabeth (Libby) Owen
Municipal Judge: Tobey Bartee

SHUQUALAK (Noxubee County) 562
Incorporated July 16, 1859
City Hall, P.O. Box 64, 39361
(662) 793-4675/(f) (662) 793-4791
Mayor: Dr. Velma H. Jenkins
Board of Aldermen: Delores Horne, Darrell Hunte, Mamie R. Turner, Evelyn Murray, Winnie Ash
City Attorney: Joy Marro
Municipal Clerk: Shirley Blakley
Municipal Judge: Dorothy Stewart

SIDON (Leflore County) 672
Incorporated April 5, 1872
City Hall, P.O. Box 156, 38954
(662) 453-9669
Mayor: Fannie Gordon
Board of Aldermen: Jerry Smith, Dorothy Ivory, Oscar Mitchell, one seat vacant at time of printing
City Attorney: Nysha Sanders
Municipal Clerk: Melissa Whitehead

SILVER CITY (Humphreys County) 337
Incorporated September 21, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 65, 39166
(662) 247-4043
Mayor: Robert A. Hairston
Board of Aldermen: Hal Bridges, Johnny Mathis, Jack Reed, Kathy B. Gilmer, David Glasscook
City Attorney: Katherine B. Bridges
Municipal Clerk: Gail Alexandra
Municipal Judge: W.C. Trotter III

SILVER CREEK (Lawrence County) 209
Incorporated May 4, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 129, 39663
(601) 886-7866/(f) (601) 886-7866
Mayor: Elizabeth Turnage
Board of Aldermen: Colleen Yelverton, Billy Reynolds, Catherine Jones, Raymond Fortenberry, Robert C. Fortenberry
City Attorney: Malcolm Rogers
Municipal Clerk: Schanta Preuss

SLATE SPRINGS (Calhoun County) 121
Incorporated February 11, 1882
City Hall, 176 S. Main St., 38916
(662) 637-2622/(f) (662) 637-2409
Mayor: Del Hemphill
Board of Aldermen: Edna Gregg, Pervie (Dale) L. Weeks, James F. West, Sr., John Paul Pritchett, Marlene V. McPhail
City Attorney: Sonny Clanton
Municipal Clerk: Kim L. Lenard

SLEDGE (Quitman County) 529
Incorporated February 28, 1913
City Hall, P.O. Box 276, 38670
(662) 382-7716/(f) (662) 382-5098
Mayor: Bernard Handy
Board of Aldermen: Ruby Eckford, Lorene Watson, Mary Wright, Lois Coleman, David Rayford, Sharon Redmond
City Attorney: Mildred Lesure

Municipal Clerk: Quida Aaron
Municipal Judge: Mary Brown

SMITHVILLE (Monroe County) 882
Incorporated January 26, 1852
City Hall, P.O. Box 125, 38870-0125
(662) 651-4411/(f) (662) 651-5226
Mayor: Gregg Kennedy
Board of Aldermen: Ruth Whitehead, Johnny Snow, Joyce Avery, Theodore Riggans, Jimmy Dabbs, Sr.
City Attorney: Sam Griffie
Municipal Clerk: Ann Seales
Municipal Judge: Andy Hood

SNOW LAKE SHORES (Benton County) 300
Incorporated July 15, 1996
City Hall, P.O. Box 400, 38603
(662) 224-6282/(f) (662) 224-8257
Mayor: Morris Blake
Board of Aldermen: Richard Roser, Emily Koon, Bobbie Lott, Billy Morton, Francis Simpson
City Attorney: Robert Childers
Municipal Clerk: Denise Brown
Municipal Judge: Dwight Ward

SOSO (Jones County) 379
Incorporated June 28, 1901
City Hall, P.O. Box 99, 39480
(601) 729-2958/(f) (601) 729-2186
Mayor: Mike Moore
Board of Aldermen: Michael Kip Simpson, Douglas W. Johnston, Paul Holifield, Bryon Craft, David Claser
City Attorney: Robert Sullivan
Municipal Clerk: Jeanne Sherman
Municipal Judge: Guy M. Walker

SOUTHAVEN (DeSoto County) 28,977
Incorporated March 25, 1980
City Hall, 8710 Northwest Dr., 38671
(662) 393-6939/(f) (662) 393-7294
Mayor: Greg Davis
Board of Aldermen: James Stark, Greg Guy, Randall Huling, James K. Loftis, Lorine Cady, Ricky Jober, Paul Ollir
City Attorney: Mark Sorrell
Municipal Clerk: Glenda Smallwood
Municipal Judge: Bob Perry

STARKVILLE (Oktibbeha County) 21,869
Incorporated May 11, 1837
City Hall, 101 Lampkin St., 39759
(662) 323-4583/(f) (662) 324-4015
Mayor: Robert Daniel Camp
Board of Aldermen: P.C. McLaurin, Jr., Richard Corey, James Mills, Matt Cox, Roy A. Perkins, Janete Self, Summer Davis
City Attorney: Katherine Kerby
Municipal Clerk: Markeeta Outlaw
Municipal Judge: William D. Eshee, Jr.

STATE LINE (Greene and Wayne Counties) 555
Incorporated February 12, 1875
City Hall, P.O. Box 95, 39362
(601) 848-7755/(f) (601) 848-7493
Mayor: Ernest A. Gardner
Board of Aldermen: J.C. Stewart, Phillip Brewer, Clyde Brewer, L.A. Washington, Willie Miller
Municipal Clerk: Cassandra Blanks
Municipal Judge: Charles Britton

STONEWALL (Clarke County) 1,149
Incorporated December 1, 1965
City Hall, P.O. Box 1059, 39363
(601) 659-7033/(f) (601) 659-7035
Mayor: Jackie E. McHenry
Board of Aldermen: Ricky Carpenter, Jo L.

Dearman, Carol Ford Long, Jerry Rich, Kathy R. Kemp
City Attorney: Greg Snowden
Municipal Clerk: Martha Howze
Municipal Judge: F.W. Mitts III

STURGIS (Oktibbeha County) 206
Incorporated March 13, 1886
City Hall, P.O. Box 97, 39769
(662) 465-7970/(f) (662) 465-7972
Mayor: Jacob Scott Smith
Board of Aldermen: Wayne Carpenter, Charles Bradberry, Diane Morgan, Darrell Collins, Eric Jackson
City Attorney: Rob Roberson
Municipal Clerk: Sandra L. Scarbrough
Municipal Judge: Alton Gillis

SUMMIT (Pike County) 1,428
Incorporated January 21, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 517, 39666
(601) 276-9536/(f) (601) 276-3502
Mayor: Charles Carter
Board of Aldermen: Kathleen Harbour, Percy Robinson, Joe Lewis, Lester Swanigan
City Attorney: Wayne Dowdy
Municipal Clerk: Pat Woodington
Municipal Judge: John H. White, Jr.

SUMNER (Tallahatchie County) 407
Incorporated February 26, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 397, 38957
(662) 375-8773/(f) (662) 375-8773
Mayor: J.J. Webb III
Board of Aldermen: E. Leonard Patterson, Smith Murphey IV, Pamela M. Fortner, Maudie S. Clay, Frank M. Mitchener, Jr.
City Attorney: Harvey Henderson
Municipal Clerk: Toni T. Clark
Municipal Judge: Alex B. Gates

SUMRALL (Lamar County) 1,005
Incorporated October 6, 1903
City Hall, P.O. Box 247, 39482
(601) 758-3591/(f) (601) 758-3591
Mayor: Jerry King
Board of Aldermen: Helga Herrington, Brad Sullivan, Ervin Wolfe, Heath Sumrall, Darrell G. Hall
City Attorney: Joanne Robbins
Municipal Clerk: Kim Deen
Municipal Judge: E. Lindsay Carter

SUNFLOWER (Sunflower County) 696
Incorporated February 18, 1914
City Hall, P.O. Box 145, 38778
(662) 569-3388/(f) (662) 569-3711
Mayor: Betty J. Fowler
Board of Aldermen: Eva N. Green, Wilmon Wash, Tabatha Norwood, Alvin B. McCarty, Paul Haley
City Attorney: Howard Q. David, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Joyce Walker
Municipal Judge: Gwendolyn Pernell

SYLVARENA (Smith County) 120
Incorporated February 10, 1969
City Hall, SCR 412 99, 39422
(601) 789-5760
Mayor: Joe W. Rogers
Board of Aldermen: Deborah Smith, Bert Wright, David James, Don Wilson, Lynn Walters
City Attorney: John R. Tullos
Municipal Clerk: Stephanie James

TAYLOR (Lafayette County) 289
Incorporated January 23, 1907
City Hall, P.O. Box 45, 38673
(662) 236-2654
Mayor: James E. Hamilton
Board of Aldermen: Noel Montgomery, Timothy A. Bridges, Carolyn F. Roberts, Dorothy E. Kisner, Pete Brummett
Municipal Clerk: Serena Stewart

TAYLORSVILLE (Smith County) 1,341
Incorporated July 9, 1900
City Hall, P.O. Box 358, 39168
(601) 785-6531/(f) (601) 785-2200
Mayor: Larry E. Kelly
Board of Aldermen: Ray Lancaster, Larry Moffett, Janette Brewer, Kenneth Robertson, Arthur Shelby
City Attorney: Eaton & Martin, P.A.
Municipal Clerk: Edwina J. Sanders
Municipal Judge: Hulon West

TCHULA (Holmes County) 2,332
Incorporated February 27, 1836
City Hall, P.O. Box 356, 39169
(662) 235-5112/(f) (662) 235-5428
Mayor: Yvonne L. Brown
Board of Aldermen: Shella M. Head, Johnny B. Dale, Zula M. Patterson, Leo Wilson, Anthony Carter
City Attorney: Lydia Blackmon
Municipal Clerk: Ann Polk
Municipal Judge: Wesley T. Evans

TERRY (Hinds County) 664
Incorporated February 19, 1867
City Hall, P.O. Box 327, 39170
(601) 878-5521/(f) (601) 878-5535
Mayor: Rodrick Nicholson
Board of Aldermen: J.W. (Wes) Moore, Joseph Kendrick, Jr., Elzena Johnson, Dorris Young, Virginia Smith Bailey
City Attorney: Ed Peters
Municipal Clerk: Christy Griffin
Municipal Judge: Lee B. Agnew, Jr.

THAXTON (Pontotoc County) 513
Incorporated June 15, 1973
City Hall, P.O. Box 56, 38871
(662) 489-4460
Mayor: Johnny Coleman
Board of Aldermen: Shelby Ann Griffin, Dexter Carwyle, Bryson Dillard, Steve Moss
City Attorney: in town lawyer
Municipal Clerk: Sammy Jaggers

TISHOMINGO (Tishomingo County) 316
Incorporated June 24, 1908
City Hall, P.O. Box 70, 38873-0070
(662) 438-6402/(f) (662) 438-6403
Mayor: James Tennyson
Board of Aldermen: Mike Hale, James Burns, Bertha Gortney, Barbara Oaks, Anne Taylor
City Attorney: James Belue
Municipal Clerk: Paula Rushing
Municipal Judge: Phillip Whitehead

TOCCOPOLA (Pontotoc County) 189
Incorporated March 31, 1873
City Hall, P.O. Box 305, 38874
(662) 832-0540
Mayor: Billy B. Berry
Board of Aldermen: Michelle Herren, Bart Ratliff, Nicky Brewer, Karen Brewer, Karen Swanson
City Attorney: Phil Tutor
Municipal Clerk: Michelle Herren

TREMONT (Itawamba County) 390
Incorporated January 18, 1974
City Hall, P.O. Box 94, 38876
(662) 652-3366/(f) (662) 652-4151
Mayor: Glyn Robinson
Board of Aldermen: Pam Dines, Everett Cody, Mike Mabus, Sandra Rayburn, Frankie Keeton
City Attorney: Laurie Basham
Municipal Clerk: Windy Abbott

TUNICA (Tunica County) 1,132
Incorporated March 3, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 395, 38676
(662) 363-2432/(f) (662) 363-1090
Mayor: Lynn R. Sturgill
Board of Aldermen: John A. (Jack) Graves,

Jr., Eloise B. Carson, Robert Gann, Charles M. Cariker, Henry Nickson, Jr.
City Attorney: Charles B. (Chuck) Graves
Municipal Clerk: Celia Boren
Municipal Judge: Bard E. Selden, Jr.

TUPELO (Lee County) 34,211
Incorporated July 20, 1870
City Hall, P.O. Box 1485, 38802-1485
(662) 841-6513/(f) (662) 840-2075
Mayor: E.C. (Ned) Neelly III
Board of Aldermen: Doyce Deas, Thomas A. Bonds, Richard (Dick) Hill, Bill Martin, Carolyn Mauldin, Berdell Jones, Mike Bryan, Nettie Young Davis, Smith Heavner
City Attorney: Guy Mitchell III
Municipal Clerk: Daphne Holcombe
Municipal Judge: Dan J. Davis

TUTWILER (Tallahatchie County) 1,364
Incorporated March 14, 1899
City Hall, P.O. Box 176, 38963
(662) 345-8321/(f) (662) 345-9955
Mayor: Robert L. Grayson
Board of Aldermen: Genether B. Miller, Matilda Hardiman, Beatrice Peace, Barbara Jennings, Tara Roland
City Attorney: Harvey Henderson
Municipal Clerk: Linda Townes
Municipal Judge J.K. Ward

TYLERTOWN (Walthall County) 1,910
Incorporated December 19, 1907
City Hall, P.O. Box 191, 39667
(601) 876-4011/(f) (601) 876-4099
Mayor: Edward Hughes
Board of Aldermen: Connie McGinnis, Roland Brumfield, Carolyn Magee, Evelyn H. Bennett, Jewel E. Magee
City Attorney: Joseph M. Stinson
Municipal Clerk: Becky Dyson
Municipal Judge: Breed O. Mounger, Jr.

UNION (Neshoba and Newton Counties) 2,021
Incorporated June 19, 1905
City Hall, 404 Bank St., 39365
(601) 774-9422/(f) (601) 774-3595
Mayor: Max Sessums
Board of Aldermen: Bobbye McElroy, Billy McCune, L.B. Adkins, Rex Germany, Wayne Welch
City Attorney: Rex Gordon, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Cheryl Chaney
Municipal Judge: Rex Gordon, Jr.

UTICA (Hinds County) 966
Incorporated March 5, 1880
City Hall, P.O. Box 335, 39175
(601) 885-8718/(f) (601) 885-2807
Mayor: Charles E. Stokes
Board of Aldermen: Jo Ann Caston, Houston Earl Mathes, Mary Ann Keith, Kenneth Broome, Lennette D. Watts
City Attorney: Mel J. Breedan, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Gloria Wilson
Municipal Judge: William Jordan

VAIDEN (Carroll County) 840
Incorporated February 10, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 76, 39176
(662) 464-5266/(f) (662) 464-5266
Mayor: George W. Turberville, Jr.
Board of Aldermen: Grace Voorhees, Lemon Cunningham, Frances (Bud) Welch, Curtis Lee Meeks, Frederick Fluker
City Attorney: Jason White
Municipal Clerk: Edie Cooper
Municipal Judge: J.R. Gilfoy IV

VARDAMAN (Calhoun County) 1,065
Incorporated December 30, 1904
City Hall, P.O. Box 194, 38878
(662) 682-7561/(f) (662) 682-7567

Mayor: James Marshall Casey
Board of Aldermen: Wilbur Holmes, Jeff Hamilton, A.D. Wright, Mary Jean Winter, Jeff Clements
City Attorney: Paul Moore, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Barbara L. Tedder
Municipal Judge: Mark Ferguson

VERONA (Lee County) 3,334
Incorporated July 18, 1860
City Hall, P.O. Box 416, 38879
(662) 566-2211/(f) (662) 566-1506
Mayor: Bobby Williams
Board of Aldermen: Brenda Spurgon, James M. Stephens, Jr., Eddie Tucker, Jim Stevens, Margaret Baker, Jesse Gilmore
City Attorney: Gary Carnathan
Municipal Clerk: Nita Westbrook
Municipal Judge: John H. Sheffield

VICKSBURG (Warren County) 26,407
Incorporated February 15, 1839
City Hall, P.O. Box 150, 39180
(601) 634-4553/(f) (601) 634-4564
Mayor: Laurence E. Leyens
Board of Aldermen: Sydney H. Beauman, Jr., Michael Mayfield
City Attorney: Nancy Thomas
Municipal Clerk: Walter W. Osbrone Jr.
Municipal Judges: John Allen Derivaux, Jr., Lewis H. Burke

WALLS, FORMERLY MEMPHIS
(Desoto County) 87
Incorporated April 12, 1972
City Hall, P.O. Box 35, 38680
(662) 781-1282/(f) (662) 781-5444
Mayor: William Eugene Alday
Board of Aldermen: Brian Stover, Michael Lowe, Wayne Lovell, Ray Dennison, Linda Austin
City Attorney: Billy Myers
Municipal Clerk: Carroll Grace
Municipal Judge: William B. Seale

WALNUT (Tippah County) 754
Incorporated May 1, 1912
City Hall, P.O. Box 540, 38683
(662) 223-4405/(f) (662) 223-4374
Mayor: Wallace Bell
Board of Aldermen: Mack Johnson, Terry Joe Sheppard, Ray Heaston, David Nabors, Scott Pulliam
City Attorney: Joy Cooper
Municipal Clerk: Joe T. Gay

WALNUT GROVE (Leake County) 488
Incorporated March 11, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 236, 39189
(601) 253-2321/(f) (601) 253-2385
Mayor: Grady Sims
Board of Aldermen: Marcus Ellis, Jr., David Dumas, W.C. Croft, Jr., Ricky Chamblee, Jerry Darby
City Attorney: Jeff Webb
Municipal Clerk: Ada F. Chamblee
Municipal Judge: Carolyn Wilcher Thomas

WALTHALL (Webster County) 170
Incorporated February 1, 1877
City Hall, P.O. Box 306, 39771
(662) 258-6250
Mayor: Belinda Stewart
Board of Aldermen: Glendolyn Crowell, Randy Tabb, Joe Hays, Sherlene Stewart, Rodney Crowell
City Attorney: Buchanon Meek
Municipal Clerk: Johnnie Abbott
Municipal Judge: Randall L. Tabb

WATER VALLEY (Yalobusha County) 3,677
Incorporated April 28, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 888, 38965
(662) 473-2431/(f) (662) 473-4909
Mayor: William G. Norris
Board of Aldermen: Sherry C. Johnson, Thomas S. Swearengen, Lance Clement, Fred E. White, Charles L. Harris
City Attorney: John J. Crow, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Vivian Snider
Municipal Judge: Trent Howell

WAVELAND (Hancock County) 6,674
Incorporated March 6, 1888
City Hall, P.O. Box 539, 39576
(228) 467-4134/(f) (228) 467-3177
Mayor: John Tommy Longo
Board of Aldermen: Ricky Geoffrey, Mark Thomas, Santo Saucier, Brian Schmitt
City Attorney: Zach Butterworth
Municipal Clerk: Lisa Planchard
Municipal Judge: Frank P. Wittmann III

WAYNESBORO (Wayne County) 5,197
Incorporated April 11, 1876
City Hall, 714 Wayne St., 39367
(601) 735-4874/(f) (601) 735-6400
Mayor: Joe Taylor
Board of Aldermen: Geary Jackson, Mary Joyce Woodson, Johnny R. Gray, Robert Reynolds, Tammie K. Wilson
City Attorney: John Gunn
Municipal Clerk: Sytrecia (Trish) Hull
Municipal Judges: Charles Britton, Sr., Martha Love

WEBB (Tallahatchie County) 587
Incorporated September 5, 1896
City Hall, P.O. Box 677, 38966
(662) 375-8164/(f) (662) 375-9494
Mayor: Mary Tucker Croft
Board of Aldermen: James Croft, Jr., Jennifer Mims, Chiquita Jones, Betty J. Powell, Hillary Brown
City Attorney: Ellis Pittman
Municipal Clerk: Shakitha L. Gray
Municipal Judge: Denise Washington

WEIR (Choctaw County) 553
Incorporated February 16, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 217, 39772
(662) 547-6123/(f) (662) 547-6511
Mayor: Glenn Beard
Board of Aldermen: Doug Adkinson, Loyd Ray, Lee James, Glenn Blain
Municipal Clerk: Pam Bradberry

WESSON (Copiah County) 1,693
Incorporated March 31, 1864
City Hall, P.O. Box 297, 39191
(601) 643-5221/(f) (601) 643-5201
Mayor: Alton Shaw
Board of Aldermen: John Welter, Hollis Cowen, Van H. Graham, Kenneth Roberts, Lura Greer
City Attorney: Dudley Lampton
Municipal Clerk: Linda S. Dykes
Municipal Judge: Chris Arledge

WEST (Holmes County) 220
Incorporated November 3, 1865
City Hall, P.O. Box 35, 39192
(662) 967-2308/(f) (662) 967-2307
Mayor: Sara T. McLellan
Board of Aldermen: Jason M. White, Jean J. Aldridge, Ricky E. Farmer, William L. Bowie, W.A. (B. B.) Brock
City Attorney: Pat M. Barrett, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Sara G. Goss
Municipal Judge: J.R. Gilfoy IV

WEST POINT (Clay County) 12,145
Incorporated November 20, 1858
City Hall, P.O. Box 1117, 39773
(662) 494-2573/(f) (662) 495-2007

Mayor: Scott Ross
Board of Aldermen: John Cummings, Marion Wilkson, Linda Hannah, Keith Mcbraier, James Watson
City Attorney: Thomas B. Storey
Municipal Clerk: Wanda Hamlin
Municipal Judge: A.M. Edwards

WIGGINS (Stone County) 3,849
Incorporated March 26, 1904
City Hall, 117 N. First St., 39577
(601) 928-7221/(f) (601) 928-5460
Mayor: Jerry Alexander
Board of Aldermen: Mike Annis Cain, Bill Prout, Darrell Berry, Thomas E. Hall, Donna Rouse
City Attorney: Rebecca Taylor
Municipal Clerk: Teresa J. Ladner
Municipal Judge: Amy Gowan

WINONA (Montgomery County) 5,482
Incorporated May 2, 1861
City Hall, P.O. Box 29, 38967
(662) 283-1232/(f) (662) 283-4070
Mayor: David Putman
Board of Aldermen: J.R. Graves, Franklin Lorenzo Seals, Charles Shelton, Jerry A. Flowers, David Ware
City Attorney: Raymond M. Baum, Jr.
Municipal Clerk: Bonita Smith
Municipal Judge: Donald W. Bond

WINSTONVILLE (Bolivar County) 319
Incorporated February 16, 1917
City Hall, P.O. Box 151, 38781
(662) 741-2106/(f) (662) 741-2107
Mayor: Milton D. Tutwiler
Board of Aldermen: Keicia Bedford, Thelma L. Washington, Addie D. Baines, Dwight Witherspoon, Ponthea Howard
Municipal Clerk: Joyce Perkins

WOODLAND (Chickasaw County) 159
Incorporated January 30, 1908
City Hall, P.O. Box 39, 39776
(662) 456-1341/(f) (662) 456-1341
Mayor: Pattie J. Watkins
Board of Aldermen: James Robert Pate, Linda Dendy, John R. Hudson, Margaret Nelson, Joe Lewis Hamilton
City Attorney: Kay Martin
Municipal Clerk: Kay Martin

WOODVILLE (Wilkinson County) 1,192
Incorporated December 9, 1811
City Hall, P.O. Box 605, 39669
(601) 888-3338/(f) (601) 888-4488
Mayor: Gary D'Aquilla
Board of Aldermen: David Smith, Sharon Dawson Robinson, Gene Lofton, Earl Dean Anthony
City Attorney: Amy Foster Overby
Municipal Clerk: Shelia Scott
Municipal Judge: David S. Crawford

YAZOO CITY (Yazoo County) 14,550
Incorporated March 15, 1884
City Hall, P.O. Box 689, 39194
(662) 746-1401/(f) (662) 746-6506
Mayor: Wardell Leach
Board of Aldermen: Aubry N. Brent, Jr., Charles (Mickey) O'Reilly, James L. Magee, Jack D. Varner
City Attorney: John Donaldson
Municipal Clerk: Shirley Knight
Municipal Judges: Richard J. Rohman, Derek E. Parker

Municipal Resources

Mississippi Municipal League
George Lewis, Executive Director
600 East Amite St., Jackson 39201
(601) 353-5854 / (800) 325-7641
(f) (601) 353-0435
Website: www.mmlonline.com

Mission: The mission of the Mississippi Municipal League is to provide the leadership necessary to enable Mississippi's municipal officials to build consensus among themselves, as well as the capacity to influence public policy decisions at the local, state and federal levels of government to strengthen the ability of city and town governments to better serve their citizens.

Sources: Information for this section was compiled by written and telephone surveys by the Secretary of State's Office, documents on file at the Secretary of State's Office, the Mississippi Municipal League, the Mississippi Judicial College, the Mississippi Code, and the 2000 Census.

The town of D'Lo was featured in Life Magazine
for sending more men to serve in World War II
than any other town of similar size in the country.

Thirty-eight percent of the men in D'Lo served in this war.

Agencies Boards Commissions

"Since Mississippi's statehood, our government has established various agencies, boards, and commissions to better provide for the needs of its people."

Elbert R. Hilliard
Director Emeritus of The Department of Archives and History

In 1901 the Mississippi Legislature responded to recommendations from the state-created Historical Commission and established the country's second-oldest Department of Archives and History. The commission warned: "Other State-supported departments of history are invading our territory, and, if they are not met by superior activity on our part, many of the historical materials relating to Mississippi will find permanent places of deposit beyond our borders, and our own people will be forced to the inconvenience, as well as the humiliation, of going elsewhere to learn about the doings of their ancestors."

The department was charged with the care and custody of the state's official archives and the collecting of materials bearing upon the history of the state from the earliest times. The Board of Trustees of the Department of Archives and History elected Dunbar Rowland to serve as the department's first director in March 1902. Mr. Rowland immediately began to assemble and organize the state archives that had been moved from Natchez to Washington, back to Natchez, then to Columbia and Jackson. Throughout the country, his system of archival arrangement was considered pioneering.

At the time of its creation, the Department of Archives and History was one of twelve state executive offices charged with the responsibility of implementing the state's policies and laws. Those offices included the Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, Attorney General, Superintendent of Education, Revenue Agent, Land Commission, Insurance Commission, Adjutant General, Railroad Commission, State Librarian, and the Department of Archives and History. The following state boards were in place in Mississippi at this time: Board of Control, Board of Election Commissioners, Board of Public Contracts, Board of Education, Board of Health, Board of Dental Examiners, and the Board of Pharmaceutical Examiners. State executive offices and boards totaled twenty-one. With the exception of the Mississippi State Insane Hospital, the East Mississippi Insane Hospital, the Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, the Mississippi State Institution for the Blind, and the Mississippi Penitentiary System, all of the offices of state government were housed in the New Capitol in 1904.

As our state evolved, the state's government grew in response. Today there are more than 150 agencies, boards, and commissions listed in the "Agencies, Boards, and Commissions" section of the *Official and Statistical Register*.

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DIRECTOR EMERITUS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

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Agriculture

MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

P.O. Box 3889
Jackson 39207
(601) 359-1170/(f) (601) 359-1177
E-mail: JimW@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.mbah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: James Watson, D.V.M.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-15-1 (1972)

Sixteen members, statutorily designated; eleven appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, five serving ex officio.

Commission or Board Members

James Watson . . . . . .State Veterinarian
Lester Spell . . . . . .Commissioner of, Agriculture and Commerce, ex officio (Chmn.)
Gregg Boring . . . . . .Dean, Mississippi State University College of Veterinary Medicine, ex officio
Wallace Morgan . . .Mississippi State University Poultry Science, ex officio
Terry Kiser . . . . . .Mississippi State University Animal and Dairy Science, ex officio
Cassandra Vaughn . . . .Alcorn State University, ex officio
Jim Anderson . . . . . .Brandon, 07/2005

Van Bowman .....Philadelphia, 07/2007
Bill Graves .....Winona, 07/2007
Terry Emerson .....West Point, 08/2007
Greg Howell .....Jackson, 07/2007
Austin Jones .....Moorhead, 07/2008
Will McMillan .....Newton, 07/2008
Toby Wilson .....Duck Hill, 07/2008
Perry Lee .....Mendenhall, 01/2008
Cindy Hyde-Smith .....Brookhaven, 01/2008
Joey Hudson .....Monticello, 01/2008
Blaine (Bo) Eaton .....Taylorsville, 01/2008

Duties and responsibilities. The Board of Animal Health shall have plenary power to deal with all contagious and infectious diseases of animals as in the opinion of the Board may be prevented, controlled, or eradicated, and with full power to make, promulgate and enforce such rules and regulations as in the judgment of the Board may be necessary to control, eradicate, and prevent the introduction and spread of those contagious and infectious diseases.

MISSISSIPPI VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

209 S. Lafayette
Starkville 39759
(662) 324-9380/(f) (662) 324-9380
E-mail: msvma@futuresouth.com
Website: www.msvet.org
Executive officer: E. Mac Huddleston
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-39-5 (1972)
Five members serving staggered five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, from nominations by the professional association.

Board Members

Betsy A. Lipscomb .....Port Gibson, 05/2006
Douglas F. Jefcoat .....Laurel, 05/2010
Stuart G. Denman, Jr. ....Charleston, 05/2007
Clyde E Taylor .....Starkville, 04/2009
David C. Newell .....Meridian, 04/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To adopt reasonable rules governing the practice of veterinary medicine; to adopt rules of professional conduct appropriate to establish and maintain a high standard of integrity, skills, and practice in the profession of veterinary medicine; to bring proceedings in courts for the enforcement of such rules; to hold at least one regular meeting on the third Tuesday in June in each year in the City of Jackson for the purpose of conducting examinations of applications for license to practice veterinary medicine; to provide for, regulate and require all persons licensed in accordance with the code to renew their license annually.

BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY

P.O. Box 5207
Mississippi State 39762
(662) 325-3391/(f) (662) 325-8397
E-mail: miket@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdac.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Mike Tagert
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-25-3 (1972)

Eleven members; seven appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce for two-year terms, four serving by virtue of office.

Board Members

Kevin Armbrust .....Mississippi State
Mike Collins .....Mississippi State
Clarence Collison .....Mississippi State
Patrick E. Igbokwe .....Lorman
Louis Guedon .....Natchez, 05/2006
Jerrol Hamilton .....Clarksdale, 04/2007
Willard Jack .....Belzoni, 10/2006
Robert T. (Bob) Kincaid ..Greenville, 10/2006
Maur McKie .....Jackson, 03/2006
James Wiley Nelms .....Vaiden, 10/2006
Willie Rivers .....Brandon, 04/2007

Duties and responsibilities. To protect the agricultural and horticultural interests of the State of Mississippi against the introduction and spread within the state of injurious insect pests and plant diseases; and to regulate the use of pesticides and pesticide applicators in order to protect the health and well-being of the citizens of the State of Mississippi.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson 39215-1609
(601) 359 1100/(f) (601) 354-6290
E-mail: spell@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: mdac.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Commissioner Lester Spell
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-1-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Rickey Gray . . . . . .Deputy Commissioner
Bob Graves . . . . . .Executive Counsel
Julie McLemore . . . . . .Executive Counsel
Rebecca Wilson . . . . . .Executive Counsel
Joey Gonce . . . . . .Director, Livestock Theft
Richard Benton . .Director, Regulatory Services
Charlie Dixon . . . . . .Director, Agricultural and Forestry Museum
Mike Tagert . . . . . .Director, Bureau of Plant Inspection

Duties and responsibilities. To regulate and promote agricultural businesses within the state and to promote Mississippi's agricultural products throughout both the state and the rest of the world for the benefit of the public health and all Mississippi citizens. For more information about the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce, see page 57.

EGG MARKETING BOARD

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson 39215-1609
(601) 359-3636/(f) (601) 354-6290
Executive officer: Commissioner Lester Spell
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 69-7-251 and 69-7-253 (1972)

Five members appointed by the Governor as statutorily designated with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members*

Ray B. English . . . . . .Vicksburg, 05/2005
S.W. Gilbert . . . . . .Forest, 02/2007
**Three positions vacant at time of printing*

Duties and responsibilities. To promote the sale and consumption of eggs. The board's total budget is derived from an assessment on egg producers and distributors. The statute provides that the Mississippi Department of Agriculture shall collect the assessment and license egg producers and distributors.

MISSISSIPPI LEVEE BOARD

P.O. Box 637
Greenville 38702-0637
(662) 334-4813/(f) (662) 378-9592
E-mail: comments@msleveeboard.com
Website: www.msleveeboard.com
Executive officer: Fred A. Ballard, Jr., President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Art. 11, § 229

Board Members

Fred Ballard . . . . .Washington County, 07/2008
Roy Nichols . . . . . .Issaquena County, 07/2008
James W. House, Jr. . . .Bolivar County, 07/2008
Johnny Robinson . .Washington County, 07/2006
Nott Wheeler, Jr. . . . . .Bolivar County, 07/2006
M.K. Rodgers . . .Humphreys County, 07/2006
Laurence Carter . . . . .Sharkey County, 07/2006

Managerial Staff

Peter Nimrod . . . . . .Chief Engineer
Robert M. Thompson . . . . . .Assistant Engineer
Charles S. Tindall III . . . . . .Attorney
Judy B. Ross . . . . . .Treasurer
Ginger Morlino . . . . . .Secretary
Rick Boyd . . . . . .Engineering Technician
Patrick Bolls . . .Superintendent of Maintenance

Duties and responsibilities. To maintain and operate the Mainline Mississippi River Levee in Bolivar, Washington, Issaquena, Sharkey, and Humphreys Counties; and to maintain interior streams improved by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. For more information on the office of Levee Commissioner, see page 489.

MISSISSIPPI CENTRAL MARKET BOARD

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson 39216-1609
(601) 953-2445/(f) (601) 354-7330
E-mail: jake@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.msfarmersmarket.org
Executive officer: Jake Hutchins
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-7-101 (1972)

Four members selected by the Governor, one from each highway commissioner's district, and one member from the state at-large.

Board Members

Louis Guedon . . . . . .Church Hill, 04/2006
Ben Burkett . . . . . .Petal, 04/2006
Jack Winstead . . . . . .Lawrence, 04/2006
Steven Bailey . . . . . .Vardaman, 01/2006

Duties and responsibilities. For the purpose of aiding, establishing and providing proper facilities for the efficient handling of farm and other food products in the interest of farmer, consumer, the general public and the State of Mississippi, and to assist in the disposal and sale of such products.

MISSISSIPPI FAIR COMMISSION

P.O. Box 892
Jackson 39205
(601) 961-4000/(f) (601) 354-6545
E-mail: mikeb@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdac.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Michael Brinkley
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-5-1 (1972)

Membership is statutorily designated. Members serve for four years with the Governor appointing members to serve unexpired terms.

Commission Members

Lester Spell . . . . . .Commissioner, Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce, ex officio
James Sardin . .Associate State Superintendent of Vocational Education
Vance Watson . . . . . .Interim Director, Mississippi State University Extension Service
Honorable Frank Melton . . . . . .Mayor, City of Jackson
Paul Smith . . . . . .Businessman, Governor's Appointee
Leland Speed . . . . . .Executive Director, Mississippi Development Authority
Larry Demuth . . . . . .President, Mississippi Livestock Council

Managerial Staff

Greg Young . . .Assistant Director and Manager of Livestock Related Events
Sandra Stock . . . . . .Bookings Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To promote policy and direct and maintain the Fairgrounds and its facilities.

RICE PROMOTION BOARD

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson 39215-1609
(601) 359-1136/(f) (601) 354-6502
E-mail: Michael@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdac.state.ms.us
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-10-2 (1972)
Executive officer: Gary Fioranelli
Selection of executive officer: Selected by Board

Twelve members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor as statutorily designated.

Board Members

Doug Wiggs . . . . . .Marks, 06/2008
Gary Fioranelli . . . . . .Cleveland, 06/2008
Nolen Canon, Jr. . . . . .Tunica, 06/2008
Bill Griffith . . . . . .Boyle, 06/2006
Doug Simmons . . . . . .Hollandale, 06/2006
Gibb Steele . . . . . .Hollandale, 06/2006
Gip Carter . . . . . .Rolling Fork, 06/2006
Terry Murrell . . . . . .Avon, 06/2006
Curtis Berry . . . . . .Robinsonville, 06/2006
Donald Gant . . . . . .Merigold, 06/2007
Randy Howarth . . . . . .Boyle, 06/2005
Rex Morgan . . . . . .Cleveland, 06/2007

Duties and responsibilities. To disburse funds from the Mississippi Rice Promotion Fund through a planned program of research, education and advertising designed to promote the rice industry in Mississippi.

SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson 39215-1609
(601) 359-1136/(f) (601) 354-6502
E-mail: michael@mdac.state.ms.us
Website: www.soybeans.msstate.edu
Executive officer: Morgan Beckham
Selection of executive officer: Selected by Board

Twelve members, serving staggered, three-year terms; appointed by the Governor from nominations by agricultural organizations.

Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-9-3 (1972)

Board Members

Billy Joe Ragland . . . . . .Bentonia, 03/2005
Bowen Flowers . . . . . .Tunica, 03/2005
Jerry Slocum . . . . . .Coldwater, 03/2005
Jim Robertson . . . . . .Holly Ridge, 03/2005
Wayne Bush . . . . . .Schlater, 03/2007
Michael Guedon . . . . . .Church Hill, 03/2005
Clifton Porter . . . . . .Rolling Fork, 03/2006
Danny Murphy . . . . . .Canton, 03/2006
Fletcher Clark . . . . . .Ruleville, 03/2007
Keith Morton . . . . . .Falkner, 03/2007
Morgan Beckham . . . . . .Leland, 03/2006
Newell Simrall . . . . . .Redwood, 03/2007

Duties and responsibilities. To promote the growth and development of the soybean industry in Mississippi by research, advertising, promotions, and market development.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURAL AVIATION

208 N. Dunn St.
Eupora 39744
(662) 258-3474/(f) (662) 258-5262
E-mail: agriavbd@network-one.com
Website: www.aab.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Teresa (Lesa) Oswalt
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-21-107 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms, appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Charles Chisolm . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2004
Bob Provine . . . . . .Greenwood, 05/2008
Steve Brown . . . . . .Charleston, 05/2007
David Smith . . . . . .Starkville, 05/2006
Malone Buchanan . . . . . .Carthage, 05/2005

Duties and responsibilities. To protect Mississippi agriculture and the general public

through the licensing of aerial applicators, pilots, and airworthy aircraft. To ensure compliance with minimum standards established by the Board.

STATE FORESTRY COMMISSION

301 N. Lamar St., Ste. 300
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1386/(f) (601) 359-1349
E-mail: ebaker@mfc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mfc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Everard Baker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-19-1 (1972)

Nine members, serving six-year terms; eight appointed by the Governor, one from each of the 1980 Congressional Districts and three at large; the Mississippi State University Forest Resources Dean is ex officio.

Commission Members

Allen Jones, Jr. . . . . .Lorman, 06/2007
Donald C. Simmons . . . . . .Starkville, 06/2007
Brad Stevens . . . . . .Smithville, 06/2006
Conner Thompson . . . . .Philadelphia, 06/2008
Al Alexander . . . . . .Wiggins, 06/2009
Arthur P. Waymire . . . . . .Byhalia, 06/2010
Richard H. Thoms . . . . . .Newton, 06/2011
James Wilson Pittman . . .Waynesboro, 06/2006
Bob Karr . . . . . .Interim Dean, Mississippi State University College of Forest Resources, ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. The Mississippi Forestry Commission is a public service agency created by the Mississippi Legislature. In compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, its mission is to provide leadership in forest protection, forest management, and information about the forests of Mississippi through a fully informed, well-trained work force and support staff, reflecting the needs of the public and employees.

STATE SEED BOARD

Mississippi Crop Improvement Association
P.O. Box MS
Mississippi State 39762
(662) 325-3211/(f) (662) 325-8135
E-mail: bkeith@mcia.mssstate.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Bennie C. Keith
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-3-103 (1972)

Six members, statutorily designated.

Board Members

Charles Lee . . . . . .President, Mississippi State University
Vance Watson . . . .Mississippi State University
Lester Spell . . . . . .Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce
David Arant . . . . . .Ruleville, 2007
Bud Hughes . . . . . .Memphis, TN, 2007

Managerial Staff

Todd Livingston . . . . . .Inspector
Chris Lucas . . . . . .Inspector
Margie F. Dawkins . . . . . .Office Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To maintain and make available to the public, through seed certification high-quality seeds, and propagating materials of superior crop plant varieties so grown and distributed as to maintain high quality, genetic identity and purity.

STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P.O. Box 23005
Jackson 39225-3005
(601) 354-7645/(f) (601) 354-6628
Website: www.mswcc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Don Underwood
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-27-9 (1972)

VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY BOARD

P.O. Box 4389
Jackson 39296
(601) 354-6089/(f) (601) 354-6097
E-mail: wells@cvms.msstate.edu
Website: www.cvm.msstate.edu
Executive Director: Lanny Pace
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-15-11

Six members, serving terms concurrent with office, as designated by statute.

Board Members

Gregg Boring . . . . . .Interim Dean, College of Veterinary Medicine, Mississippi State University
Lester Spell, Jr. . . . . .Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce
James Watson . . . . . .State Veterinarian
Kevin Armbrust . . . . . .State Chemist
Robert Warren . . . . . .Cattlemen's Association
Danny Magee . . .Mississippi Poultry Research and Diagnostic Laboratory
Al Camus . . . . . .Mississippi Aquatic Research and Diagnostic Laboratory
Kendall Quinn . . . . . .Board of Animal Health
Cassandra Vaughn . . . .Alcorn State University

Managerial Staff

Lanny Pace . . . . . .Executive Director
Jo Anne Luke . . . . . .Administrative Secretary
Roy Thompson . . .Director of Business Services
Carol Vice . . . . . .Systems Administrator II
Danny L. Magee . . . . . .Poultry Lab Director

Arts and History

BEAUVOIR, THE JEFFERSON DAVIS SHRINE

2244 Beach Blvd.
Biloxi 39531
(228) 388-9074/(f) (228) 388-7084
E-mail: info@beauvoir.org
Website: www.beauvoir.org
Executive Officer: Patrick M. Hotard
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-5-55 (1972) Selection designated by original charter of Mississippi Division of the United sons of Confederate Veterans in accordance with terms of the deed of Mrs. Varina Davis, dated October 10, 1902.

Board Members

Richard V. Forte, Sr. . . . . .Hattiesburg
William E. Faggert . . . . . .Heidelberg
John Echols . . . . . .Southaven
Stone Barefield . . . . . .Purvis
Ward Calhoun . . . . . .Meridian
Lamar Roberts . . . . . .Vicksburg
Stan Newman . . . . . .Bay St. Louis
E. Ron Stowers . . . . . .Madison
Daniel Edney . . . . . .Vicksburg
John E. Aldridge . . . . . .Ridgeland
C. Phillip Gunter . . . . . .Brandon
Bertram Hayes-Davis . . .Colorado Springs, CO
Dan A. McCaskill . . . . . .Leland
Kathryn Sewell . . . . . .Corinth
John L. French . . . . . .Long beach
Harry Mason . . . . . .Gulfport
Ed Funchess . . . . . .McComb
Robert Murphree . . . . . .Jackson

Managerial Staff

Rusty Trowbridge . . . . . .Business Manager
Quentin Kersten . . . . . .Facilities Manager
Patrick M. Hotard . . . . . .Curator of Collections
Jay Peterson . . . . . .Chief of Security
Jennifer Myers . .Tours and Programs Coordinator
Peggy Browne . . . . . .Gift Shop Manager
Linda Cain . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

CIVIL WAR BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION

P.O. Box 197
Coffeeville 38922
(662) 675-2535
E-mail:dsides62@bellsouth.net
Executive officer: Don Sides
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-5-91 (1972)

Fifteen members, serving staggered, six-year terms; nine appointed by the Governor; one each by the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House; all others statutorily designated.

Commission Members

Charles Sallis . . . . . .Jackson, 03/2006
David McCain . . . . . .Raymond, 03/2006
Terrell Pickett . . . . . .Lumberton, 03/2006
Danny Dilworth . . . . . .Rienzi, 02/2008
Gary Carnathan . . . . . .Tupelo, 03/2008
Harold Lomenick . . . . . .Iuka, 03/2008
Robert Walker . . . . . .Vicksburg, 03/2008
S.W. Calhoun, Jr. . . . . .Meridian, 03/2008
Charles Pittman . . . . . .Raymond, 03/2010
Wayne McMaster . . . . . .Vicksburg, 03/2010
William Earl Faggert . . . . .Heidelberg, 03/2010

Managerial Staff

Jim Woodrick . . . . . .Civil War Sites Historian

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

P.O. Box 571
Jackson 39205-0571
(601) 576-6850/(f) (601) 576-6975
E-mail: webmaster@mdah.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H.T. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board of Trustees
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-5-1 et seq. (1972)

Nine members, serving staggered six-year terms; elected by Board Members to fill vacancies with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Lynn Crosby Gammill . . .Hattiesburg, 01/2006
William F. Winter . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2006
E. Jackson Garner . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2006
Gilbert Mason . . . . . .Biloxi, 01/2010
Duncan Morgan . . . . . .Natchez, 01/2008
Martis D. Ramage, Jr. . . . . .Tupelo, 01/2008
Rosemary T. Williams . . . . . .Corinth, 01/2010

Managerial Staff

James F. Barnett . . . . . .Director, Division of Historic Properties
Lucy Allen . . . . . .Director, Museum Division
Julia Marks Young . . . . . .Director, Archives and Library Division
Walter Crook . . . . . .Director, Division of Records Management
Kenneth H. P'Pool . . . . . .Director, Division of Historic Preservation
William Hanna . . .Director, Local Records Office

GRAND GULF MILITARY MONUMENT COMMISSION

12006 Grand Gulf Rd.
Port Gibson 39150
(601) 437-5911/(f) (601) 437-2929
E-mail: grandgulfpark@aol.com
Website: www.grandgulfpark.state.ms.us
Executive officer: T.W. Ross
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 55-15-21 (1972)

Five citizens from Claiborne County, serving five-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Commission Members

David M. Headley . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2006
Martha Atlas . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2007
Robert St. John . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2005
Dykes Cupstid . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Jeff Roberts . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2009

Historical Records Advisory Board

P.O. Box 571
Jackson 39205-0571
100 North St.
Jackson 39201
(601) 576-6691/(f) (601) 576-6975
E-mail: msshpo@mdah.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H.T. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: As designated by federal guidelines
Reference: Board established by federal guidelines issued by National Historical and Publications Records Committee.

Eleven members, serving staggered, five-year terms appointed by the Governor.

Board Members

David A. Smith . . . . . .Columbus, 08/2006
Milburn J. Crowe . . . . .Mound Bayou, 04/2006
Curtis Austin . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 08/2006
Meridith Johnston . . . . . .Cleveland, 08/2006
H.T. (Hank) Holmes . . . . . .Jackson, 08/2007
Edward E. Nave . . . . . .Scooba, 8/2007
Elbert R. Hilliard . . . . . .Madison, 08/2007
Frances Coleman . . . . . .Starkville, 08/2007
Harriet DeCell Kuykendall . .Jackson, 08/2007
Bradley G. Bond . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 08/2008
Deanne S. Nuwer . . . . . .Biloxi, 08/2008

Holocaust Commission

P.O. Box 136
Jackson 39205-0136
(601) 359-6344
Executive officer: Jerry Daddle
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Ann. Code § 39-29-1 (1972)

The commission consists of seven members appointed by the Governor, five members appointed by the Speaker of the House, five members appointed by the Lt. Governor and representing each of the congressional districts. All serve five year terms. Ex officio members include State Superintendent of Education and Commissioner of Institutions of Higher Learning or their designees.

Commission Members

Judy Couey . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Kees Gispen . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Dieter W. Schneider . . . . .Hattiesburg 06/2009
Goldie Hirsberg . . . . . .Clarksdale, 06/2009
Herb Frierson . . . . . .Poplarville, 06/2009
James E. Bowley . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Karen Dattel . . . . . .Grenada, 06/2009
Shirley S. Johnson . . . . . .Poplarville, 06/2009
Ben Lamonsdorf . . . . . .Cary, 06/2009
Benjamin Nelkin . . . . . .Greenville, 6/2009
Jerry Dattel . . . . . .Pass Christian, 06/2009
Lorraine Studin-Lutz . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2009
Manny Crystal . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Marc Perler . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2009
Marty Davidson . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2009

Mississippi Arts Commission

239 N. Lamar St., Ste. 207
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-6031/(f) (601) 359-6008
E-mail: lpowell@arts.state.ms.us
Website: www.arts.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Lee Ann Powell, acting Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-11-1 (1972)

Fifteen members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor according to statutory designation.

Commission Members

Danny McKenzie . . . . . .Tupelo, 08/2005
Michael Marks . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 08/2005
Robert Lee . . . . . .Jackson, 08/2005
Melody Maxey . . . . . .Jackson, 08/2006
Sylvia Minor . . . . . .Ocean Springs, 08/2006
Margaret Carter Joseph . . .Greenville, 08/2007
Mary S.C. Rogers . . . . . .New Albany, 08/2007
Myrna Colley-Lee . . . . . .Charleston, 08/2007

Dianne Walton .....Meridian, 08/2008
Dorothy Howorth .....Oxford, 08/2008
Cathye Ross .....Ocean Springs, 08/2008
Robert St. John .....Hattiesburg, 08/2009
Barbara Bruninni .....Ridgeland, 08/2006
Gail S Daigneault .....Grenada, 08/2009
Nell Middleton .....Winona, 08/2009

Duties and responsibilities. To stimulate and encourage statewide study and presentation of the performing, visual, and literary arts, and public interest and participation therein; encourage participation in, appreciation of, and education in the arts to meet the legitimate needs and aspirations of persons in all parts of the state; to take appropriate steps to encourage public interest in the cultural heritage of Mississippi to expand the state's cultural resources, and to promote the use of art in the state government's activities and facilities; and to encourage excellence and assist freedom of artistic expression essential for the well being of the arts.

Mississippi Blues Commission

P.O. Box 690
Indianola 38751
(662) 887-2160/(f) (662) 887-6873
E-mail: billmcph@doublequick.com
Executive officer: Bill McPherson, Chair
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-27-1 (1972)

Sixteen members serving unlimited terms; twelve appointed by the Governor including four members from the state at-large, two members with expertise in cultural affairs or tourism development in the MS Delta, and representatives from Division of Tourism of the Mississippi Development Authority, Mississippi Arts Commission, Mississippi Educational Television Authority, Center for the Study of Southern Culture at the University of Mississippi, University Center for Economic Development at Mississippi Valley State University, Delta Center for Culture and Learning at Delta State University, and the USDA Rural Development Agency; four nonvoting members including two members of the Mississippi Senate appointed by the Lieutenant Governor and two members of the Mississippi House of Representatives designated by the Speaker of the House.

Commission Members

William G. Seratt, Jr. .....Greenville
D. Craig Ray .....Jackson
Elbert Hilliard .....Jackson
Tim Hedgepeth .....Jackson
Marie Antoon .....Jackson
Charles R. Wilson .....University
Robert Moore .....Itta Bena
Luther Brown .....Cleveland
Nick Walters .....Jackson
James Butler, Sr. .....Clarksdale
Bill McPherson .....Indianola
Charles Reid .....Clarksdale
Jesse Robinson .....Jackson

Alternates

Ken P'Pool .....Jackson
Chrissy Wilson .....Jackson
Larry Morrisey .....Jackson

Nonvoting members

Bunky Huggins .....Greenwood
Hillman T. Frazier .....Jackson
May Whittington .....Schlater
Sara R. Thomas .....Indianola

Duties and responsibilities. To inventory blues "assets" that could be developed into programs for domestic and international tourism and opportunities for investment; to establish a statewide Mississippi "Blues Trail" infrastructure; to coordinate a comprehensive approach to marketing the blues and blues culture in Mississippi; to make recommendations regarding the establishment of and budgeting for a permanent Mississippi Office of the Blues; and to identify and preserve blues historic properties.

Mississippi Historical Preservation Professional Review Board

P.O. Box 571
Jackson 39205-0571
(601) 576-6850/(f) (601) 576-6964
E-mail: webmaster@mdah.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H.T. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: Director of Archives and History
Reference: The board is configured by the 1966 National Historic Act of Preservation in accordance to federal guidelines.

Board Members

Michael W. Fazio . . . . . .Mississippi State University, 12/2011
Alferdteen Harrison . . . . . .Jackson State University, 12/2009
Elizabeth Boggess . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2007
Samuel H. Kaye . . . . . .Columbus, 12/2007
Jay Johnson . . . . . .University of Mississippi, 12/2009
Jack Garner . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2011
Arthur H. Kinnard, Jr. . . .Greenwood, 12/2006
James Barnett . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2006
H.T. Holmes . . . . . .Director, Department of Archives and History, ex officio

Mississippi Humanities Council

3825 Ridgewood Rd., Rm. 311
Jackson 39211-6497
(601) 432-6752/(f) (601) 432-6750
E-mail: Barbara@mhc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mshumanities.org
Executive officer: Barbara Carpenter
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Council
Reference: The Humanities Council is an independent organization affiliated with the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Council Members

Kathy Baxter . . . . . .Meridian, 12/2007
Mabel Middleton . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2007
Nancy L. Ellis . . . . . .Louisville, 06/2006
Betty Lou Jones . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2008
Gayle Wicker . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2008
Mimi Dossett . . . . . .Cleveland, 06/2008
Ricki Garrett . . . . . .Clinton, 06/2008
Willis Lott . . . . . .Perkinston, 12/2007
David Beckley . . . . . .Holly Springs, 12/2007
David L. Crosby . . . . . .Lorman, 12/2005
Nancy S. Ellis . . . . . .Louisville, 12/2006
Carla C. Falkner . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2005
E. Harold Fisher . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Dorothy R. McEwen . . . . .Long Beach,12/2006
Theodore Levi . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007
George T. Mitchell . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Andrew P. Mullins, Jr. . . . . .Oxford, 12/2005
Lenore L. Prather . . . . . .Columbus, 12/2006
Rod A. Risley . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Jo Ann Collins-Smith . . . .Port Gibson, 12/2005
Chuck Yarborough . . . . . .Columbus, 12/2006
John G. Thornell . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2005
Charles Sallis . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2005

Managerial Staff

Carol Andersen . . . . . .Assistant Director
Brenda T. Gray . . . . . .Fiscal Administrator
Denise Edmondson . . .Administrative Assistant
David Morgan . . . . . .Project Specialist

Mississippi River Parkway Commission

P.O. Box 23
231 Hwy. 24 E.
Woodville 39669
(601) 888-4259/(f) (601) 888-3142
E-mail: ventress@telepak.net
Executive officer: Ann C. Ventress
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 55-5-53 (1972)

Ten members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor from river counties.

Commission Members

Carol Cox Buelow . . . . . .Vicksburg, 05/2009
Bob Robinson . . . . . .Greenville, 05/2005
James F. Robbins . . . . . .Tunica, 05/2007
Patty Cappaert . . . . . .Vicksburg, 05/2005
William Seratt . . . . . .Greenville, 05/2006
Ann Ventress . . . . . .Woodville, 05/2006
Cindy Bailey . . . . . .Natchez, 05/2007
Lisa McFatter . . . . . .Port Gibson, 05/2006
Pat Young . . . . . .Hernando, 05/2009
Sarah Noble . . . . . .Port Gibson, 05/2008

WAR VETERANS MEMORIAL COMMISSION

120 N. State St.
War Memorial Bldg.
Jackson 39201
(601) 354-7555/(f) (601) 353-1207
E-mail: ngams@netdoor.com
Executive officer: Howard L. Goodwin
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 55-15-53 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor from seven statutorily designated veterans' associations.

Commission Members

Johnny F. Bracy . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2010
Johnnie L. Richard . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2011
Ron Stowers . . . . . .Madison, 06/2011
Jimmy R. Reese . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2011
Milton McMullon . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2011

Duties and responsibilities. To recommend to the capitol commission the allocation of office space in the War Veterans Memorial Building, to promote the observation of Armistice Day in all the public schools in the State of Mississippi by appropriate exercises; to plan and conduct at the War Veterans Memorial Building and other appropriate places in the State of Mississippi ceremonies honoring the war dead of the State of Mississippi on Armistice Day and on other anniversary days designated by the commission; to supervise the maintenance and preservation of Mississippi's acre in the Honor Grove of Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge; and to operate the Mississippi Military Museum located in the War Memorial Building.

Commerce and Transportation

APPEALS BOARD, MISSISSIPPI TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

P.O. Box 1850
Jackson 39215-1850
(601) 359-7030/(f) (601) 359-7043
E-mail: baronsue@mdot.state.ms.us
Website: www.GoMDOT.com
Executive officer: K. Sue Baron
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 65-1-46 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor and remainder as designated by statute with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Maxie Bruce . . . . . .Waynesboro, 06/2009
Marcus Luke . . . . . .Preston, 06/2008
Michael Brown . . . . . .Redwood, 06/2008
James Waycaster . . . . . .Natchez, 06/2006
Don Shelton . . . . . .Columbus, 06/2007

Managerial Staff

Doreather Davis . . . . . .Data Entry Operator
Wanda Eady . . . . . .Secretary

Duties and responsibilities. To conduct hearings for any persons feeling aggrieved by a penalty for excess weight assessed against them by an agent or employee of the Mississippi Department of Transportation.

CLAIBORNE COUNTY PORT COMMISSION

P.O. Box 689
Port Gibson 39150
(601) 437-5216/(f) (601) 437-4430
E-mail: jemiller49@yahoo.com
Website: www.portgibsononthemississippi.com
Executive officer: James Miller
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-7-125 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor; two appointed by the Board of Supervisors of the county, and two appointed by the governing body of the municipality.

Commission Members

Roy Starnes . . . . . .Port Gibson, 08/2005
Sandra Noble . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Martha Lott . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Allen Burks . . . . . .Lorman, 06/2008
Charles Shorts . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Michael Wells . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Mott Headly . . . . . .Port Gibson, 06/2008
Bruce McGowan . .Port Gibson, unlimited term
Robert Johnson . . .Hermanville, unlimited term
Bob Carpenter . . . .Port Gibson, unlimited term

Managerial Staff

James E. Miller . . . . . .County Administrator
James L. Johnson . . . . . .Director, Community Development

Duties and responsibilities. To develop, maintain, and promote public port facilities in Claiborne County and promote and encourage industrial and economic growth in the county.

DIVISION OF AERONAUTICS

P.O. Box 1850
Jackson 39215-1850
401 N. West St.
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-7850/(f) (601) 359-7855
E-mail: ejay@mdot.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdot.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Elton E. Jay, Director, Division of Aeronautics
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Committee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 61-1-3 and 61-1-13 (1972)

Commissioners

Zack Stewart, Northern District
Dick Hall, Central District
Wayne Brown, Southern District

Duties and responsibilities. To foster and develop a viable, safe, and effective air transportation system in the state.

For more information about the Mississippi Transportation Commissioners, see pages 64-66.

GREENVILLE PORT COMMISSION

P.O. Box 446
Greenville 38702
(662) 335-2683/(f) (662) 335-0804
E-mail: gvlport@tecinfo.com
Executive officer: J.H. (Harold) Burdine
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-7-135 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor, two by the city, and tow by Board of Supervisors

Commission Members

David L. Stokes . . . . . .Hollandale, 04/2009
Phield Parish III . . . . . .Greenville, 04/2007
Charles G. Bevil . . . . . .Greenville, 04/2009
Thomas R. Gordon . . . . . .Greenville, 04/2007
Joseph L. Wiley . . . . . .Greenville, 04/2007

Managerial Staff
Walter Brown .....Terminal Superintendent
Nedra Pittman .....Office Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To supervise terminal and dockside activities, maintain high visibility of services offered for prospective customers, and advise present and potential customers on intermodal systems.

HANCOCK COUNTY PORT AND HARBOR COMMISSION

P.O. Box 2267
Bay St. Louis 39521
706 Hwy. 90
Waveland 39576
(228) 467-9231/(f) (228) 467-9341
E-mail: rginn@portandharbor.com
Website: www.portandharbor.com
Executive officer: Hal Walters
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-11-3

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; two appointed by the Governor and five appointed by the Board of Supervisors.

Commission Members
Robert R. Kane .....Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Chari Rapp .....Waveland, 01/2008
Harry J. Farve .....Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Kevin O. Hill, Sr. .....Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Joseph (Jody) P. Compretta, Jr. ...Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Louis D. Hall .....Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Anthony K. Sahuque ...Bay St. Louis, 01/2008

Managerial Staff
Greg Deakle .....Deputy Director
Jerry Hemphill .....Programs Manager
Susan Veglia .....Business Manager
Bill Cotter .....Airport Manager
Steve Landry .....Facilities Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To operate Port Bienville Industrial Park, Port Bienville Railroad, and Stennis International Airport. To enhance Economic Development for Hancock County.

JACKSON COUNTY PORT AUTHORITY

P.O. Box 70
Pascagoula 39568
3033 Pascagoula St.
Pascagoula 39567
(228) 762-4041/(f) (228) 762-7476
Website: www.portofpascagoula.com
Executive officer: Mark L. McAndrews
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-5-29

Nine members, serving staggered, three-year terms; four appointed by the Governor and five appointed by the Board of Supervisors.

Commission Members
Charles Persons .....Moss Point, 01/2008
Ronald Robinson .....Ocean Springs, 01/2008
Warren Gautier .....Pascagoula, 01/2008
Oscar R. Jordan .....Ocean Springs, 01/2008
Wallace Easley .....Ocean Springs, 01/2008
James H. Colmer .....Pascagoula, 01/2008
J.R. (Jim) Hoskins .....Moss Point, 01/2008
William Lassiter .....Moss Point, 01/2008
Norris Polk .....Moss Point, 01/2008

Managerial Staff
Mark McAndrews .....Port Director
John L. Hunter .....Port Attorney

Duties and responsibilities. To develop, maintain, and promote public port facilities; operate and maintain harbors and channels; to encourage industrial growth, economic development, and international trade in Jackson County and the State of Mississippi; to operate the Port of Pascagoula.

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

State Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 1850
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-7001/(f) 601 359-7050
E-mail: comments@mdot.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdot.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Larry L. (Butch) Brown
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss Code Ann. §§ 65-1-1 and 65-1-10 (1972)

Under the direction of the State Transportation Commission, which consists of three members, one from each Supreme Court District, elected by the people at the time and in the manner other state officers are elected.

Commission Members

Commissioner Bill Minor . . . . .Northern District
Commissioner Dick Hall . . . . . .Central District
Commissioner Wayne Brown . .Southern District

Managerial Staff

Brenda Vanover Znachko . . .Deputy Executive Director, Administrative Services
Amy Hornback . . . . . .Secretary
Harry Lee James . . . . . .Chief Engineer
Ray Balentine . . .Office of Intermodal Planning
John M. Simpson . . . . . .Office of Information Services
Willie Huff . . . . . .Office of Enforcement

Duties and responsibilities. To develop a balanced transportation policy of the State of Mississippi, to promote the use of all modes of transportation, to make recommendations to the Legislature, to study means of encouraging travel and transportation of good, to make rules and regulations as deemed necessary in construction and maintenance of the State's highway system. For more information about Mississippi Department of Transportation and Transportation Commissioners, see pages 64-66.

MISSISSIPPI MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION

1755 Lelia Dr., Ste. 200
Jackson 39216
(601) 987-3995/(f) (601) 987-3997
E-mail: day@mmvc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mmvc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H. Eagle Day
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 63-17-57

Eight members, serving terms designated by statute; six appointed by the Governor, one from each Congressional District and one at large, one each appointed by the Secretary of State and the Attorney General.

Commission Members

Robert D. Rogers . . . . . .Morton, 07/2006
Henry Ware . . . . . .Southaven, 06/2008
Bernardine O'Sullivan . . .Pascagoula, 06/2006
S. Edward Kossman, Jr. . . .Cleveland, 06/2009
Don Hartfield . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2011
N.L. Carson, Sr. . . . . .Carthage, 06/2006
Larry Clark . . . . . .Amory, 01/2008
Thomas Jolly . . . . . .Monticello, 06/2005

Managerial Staff

Cynthia Butler . . . . . .Operations Management Analyst

Duties and responsibilities. Regulatory agency for new vehicles.

STATE PORT AUTHORITY AT GULFPORT

P.O. Box 40
Gulfport 39502
(228) 865-4300/(f) (228) 865-4335
E-mail: dra@shipmspa.com
Website: www.shipmspa.com
Executive officer: Donald R. Allee
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-5-21

Five members, serving staggered, five-year terms; three appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the Harrison County Board of Supervisors, and one by the Mayor of Gulfport.

Commission Members

Roy Irons . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2005
A.J.M. Oustalet III . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2008
John Rester . . . . . .Biloxi, 12/2009
Dalton D. McGuire . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2006
Lenwood S. Sawyer, Jr. . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2007

Managerial Staff

Donald R. Allee . . . . . .Executive Director
Kim Purchner . . . . . .Executive Assistant
Human Resources Officer
John Webb . . . . . .Deputy Director Engineering
Mary J. Bourdin . . . . .Deputy Director Finance
Bill McGhee . . . . . .Deputy Director Facilities
David McNeel . . .Deputy Director Operations
Enrique Hurtado . . . . . .Deputy Director
Trade Development

Duties and responsibilities. To be a profitable, self-sufficient port providing world-class marine terminal services to present and future customers and to facilitate the economic growth of Mississippi through the promotion of international trade.

WARREN COUNTY PORT COMMISSION

P.O. Box 709
Vicksburg 39181
(601) 636-1012/(f) (601) 636-4422
E-mail: lwatts6h17@aol.com
Website: www.vicksburgedf.org
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-7-125
Executive officer: Jim Pilgrim
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission

Five members serving staggered, four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor, two appointed by the Board of Supervisors, two appointed by the city or county

Commission Members

Mike Cappaert . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007
Johnny Moss . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007
Oren Bailess . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007
John Ferguson . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007
Russell Hawkins . . . . . .Vicksburg, 12/2007

Managerial Staff

Linda Watts . . . . . .Assistant Director

YAZOO COUNTY PORT COMMISSION

P.O. Box 172
Yazoo City 39194
212 E. Broadway St.
Yazoo City 39194
(662) 746-1273/(f) (662) 746-7238
E-mail: ccyazoo@bellsouth.net
Executive officer: John Sharp Howie
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-7-125 (1972)

Five members serving staggered, four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor, two appointed by the Board of Supervisors, and two appointed by the Mayor/Board of Aldermen of Yazoo County.

Commission Members

Robert E. Coker 09/2007
Wilburn F. DeLancey 09/2007
B. Bryan Jones III 08/2008
John Sharp Howie 08/2008
William N. Nelson, Jr. 04/2006

Managerial Staff

Gerald P. Fraiser . . . . . .Port Director
Hugh M. Love . . . . . .Port Attorney
Frederick R. Clark . . . . . .Port Engineer

Duties and responsibilities. To manage Yazoo County public port, Barrier Industrial Park, and the Yazoo County Airport. Own and manage acreage for future development and lease a manufacturing facility to a local industrial company.

YELLOW CREEK STATE INLAND PORT AUTHORITY

43 CR 370
Iuka 38852
(662) 423-6088/(f) (662) 423-2720
E-mail: eugeneycp@crossroadsisp.com
Executive officer: A. Eugene Bishop
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 59-17-23

Nine members, five gubernatorial appointments serving staggered, five-year terms; one each appointed by the Board of Supervisors of the designated counties serving four-year terms concurrent with Supervisors.

Authority Members

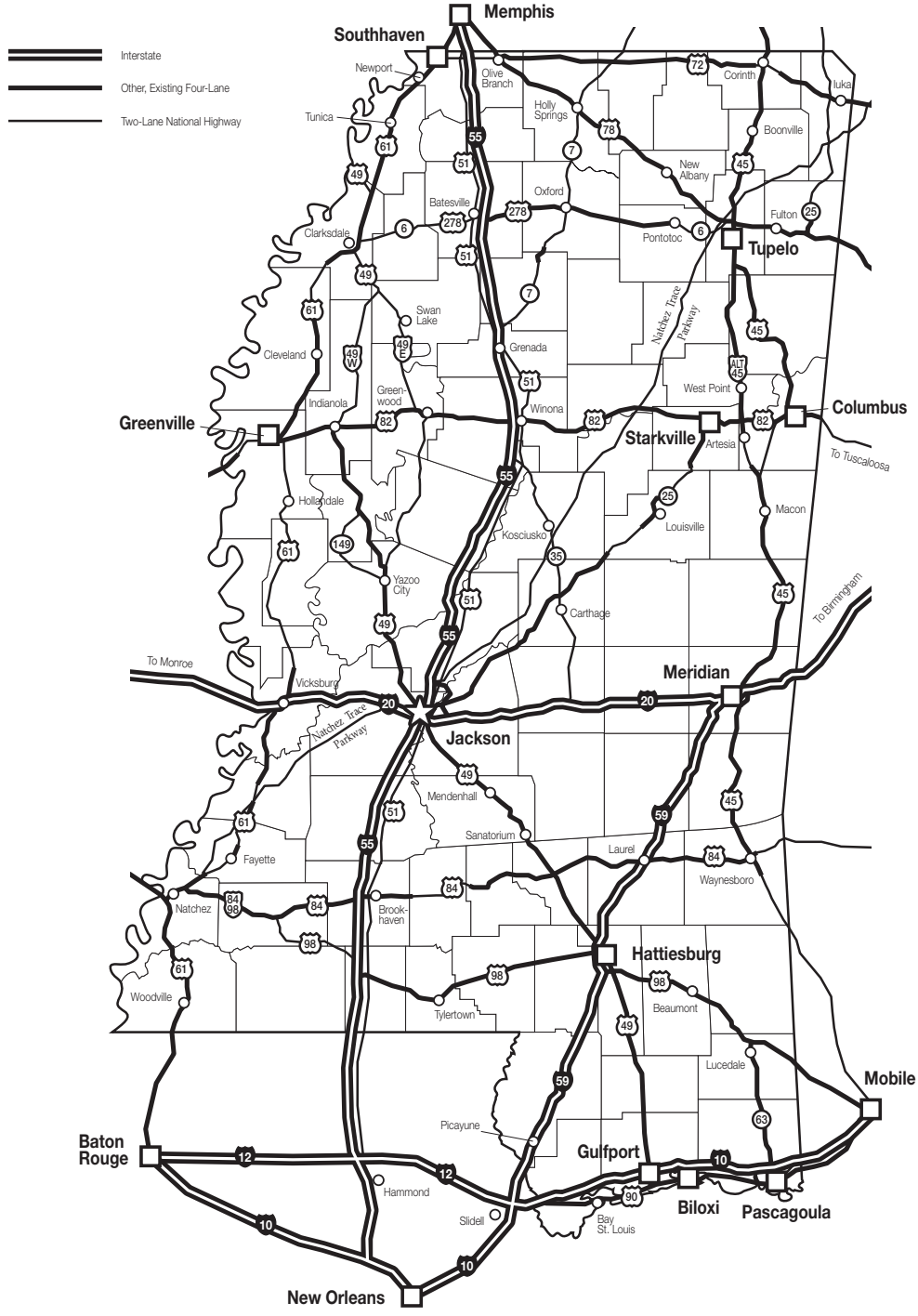
Tommy R. Hardwick . . . . .Burnsville, 04/2007
Benny DeVaughn . . . . . .Booneville, 04/2009
Joe Wilburn . . . . . .Marietta, 04/2008
James Tennyson . . . . . .Tishomingo, 04/2010
David McMeans . . . . . .Iuka, 04/2010
Travis Childers . . . . . .Booneville, 05/2009
Robert Stringer . . . . . .Iuka, 04/2010
Roger Bain . . . . . .Corinth
Gerald Rushing . . . . . .Mantachie

Managerial Staff

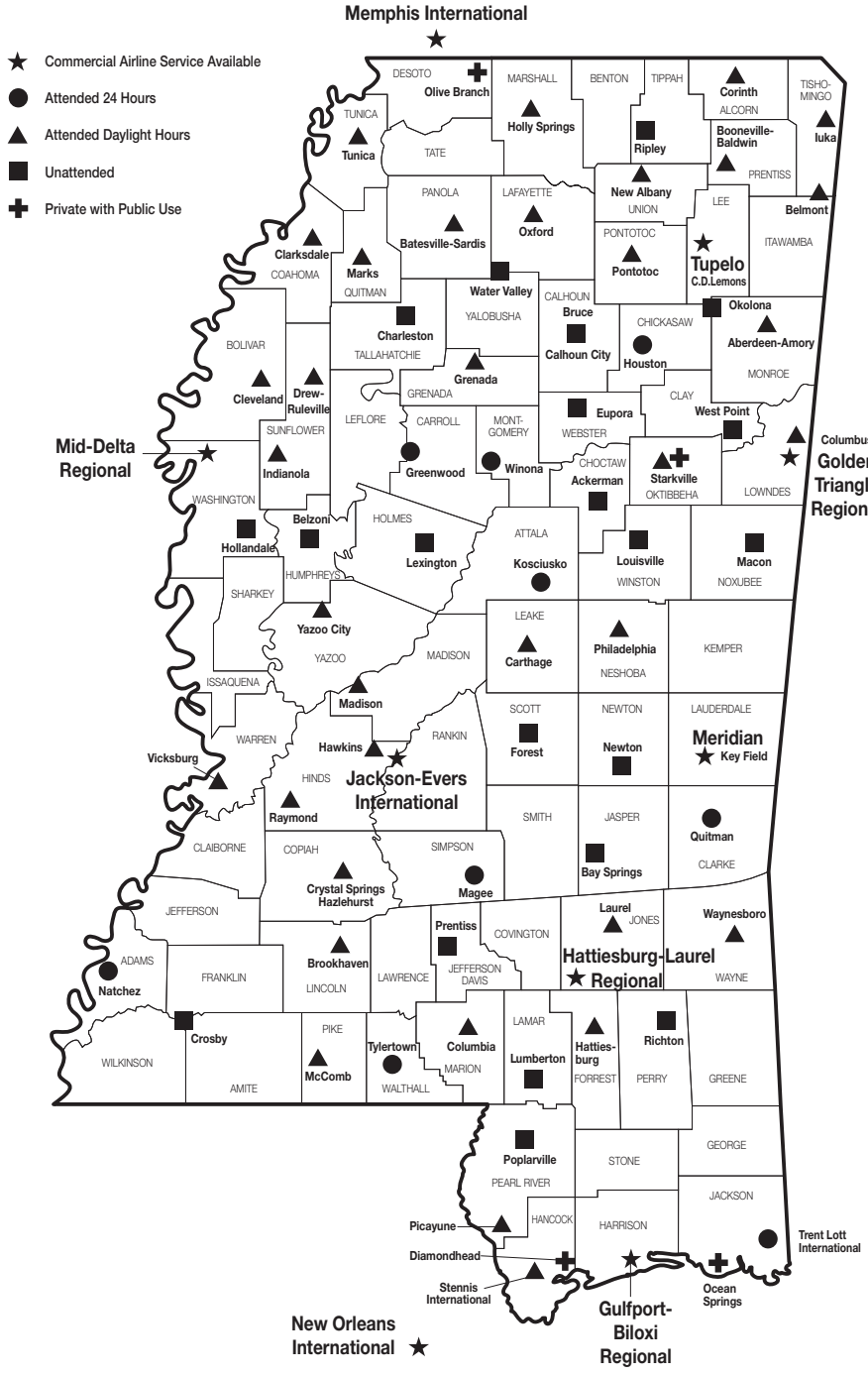
Russ Howell . . . . . .Terminal Superintendent
Tina Williamson . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To aid the industrial development and economy of the state through the acquisition, promotion, development, improvement, and expansion of the inland port and attendant industrial sites.

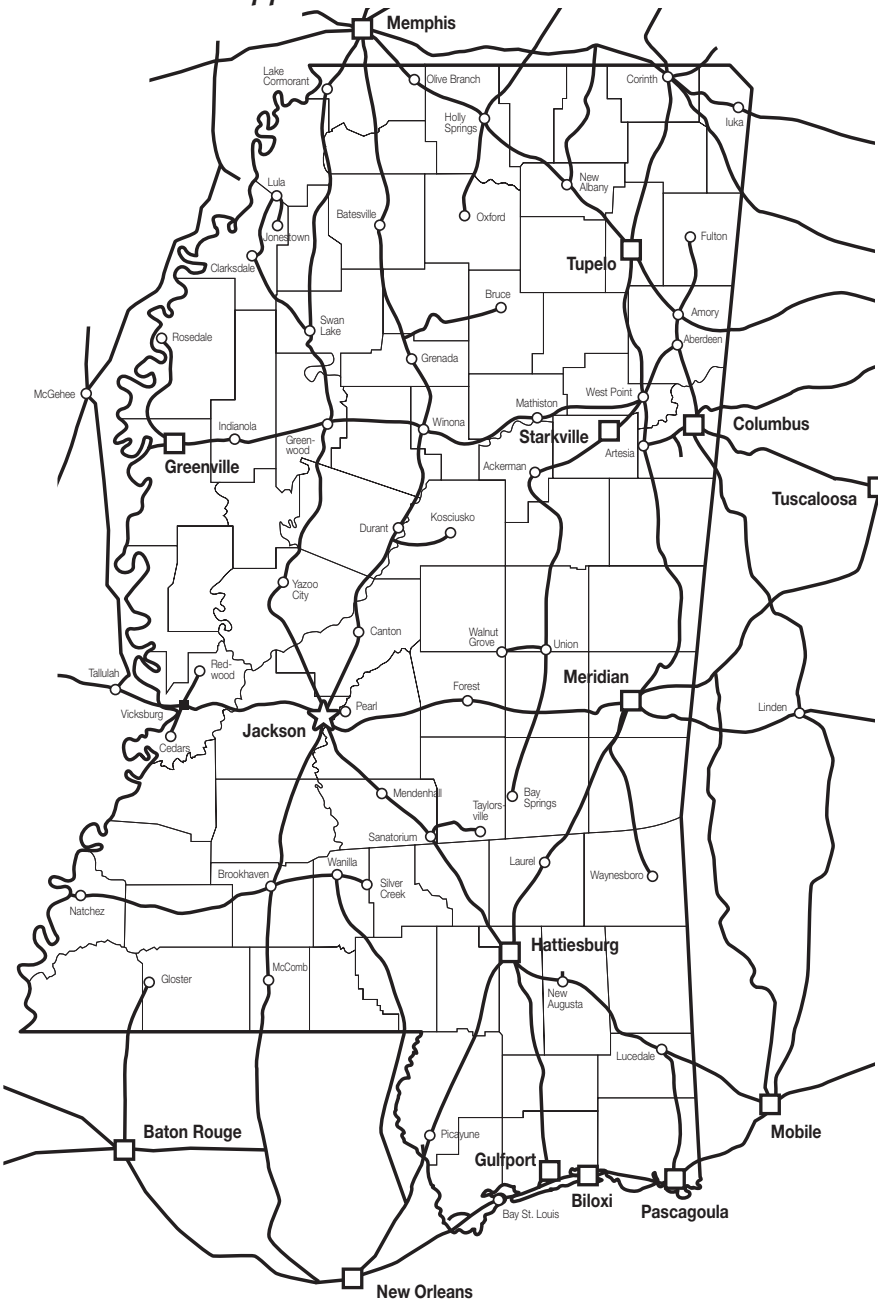
Highways in Mississippi



Airports in Mississippi

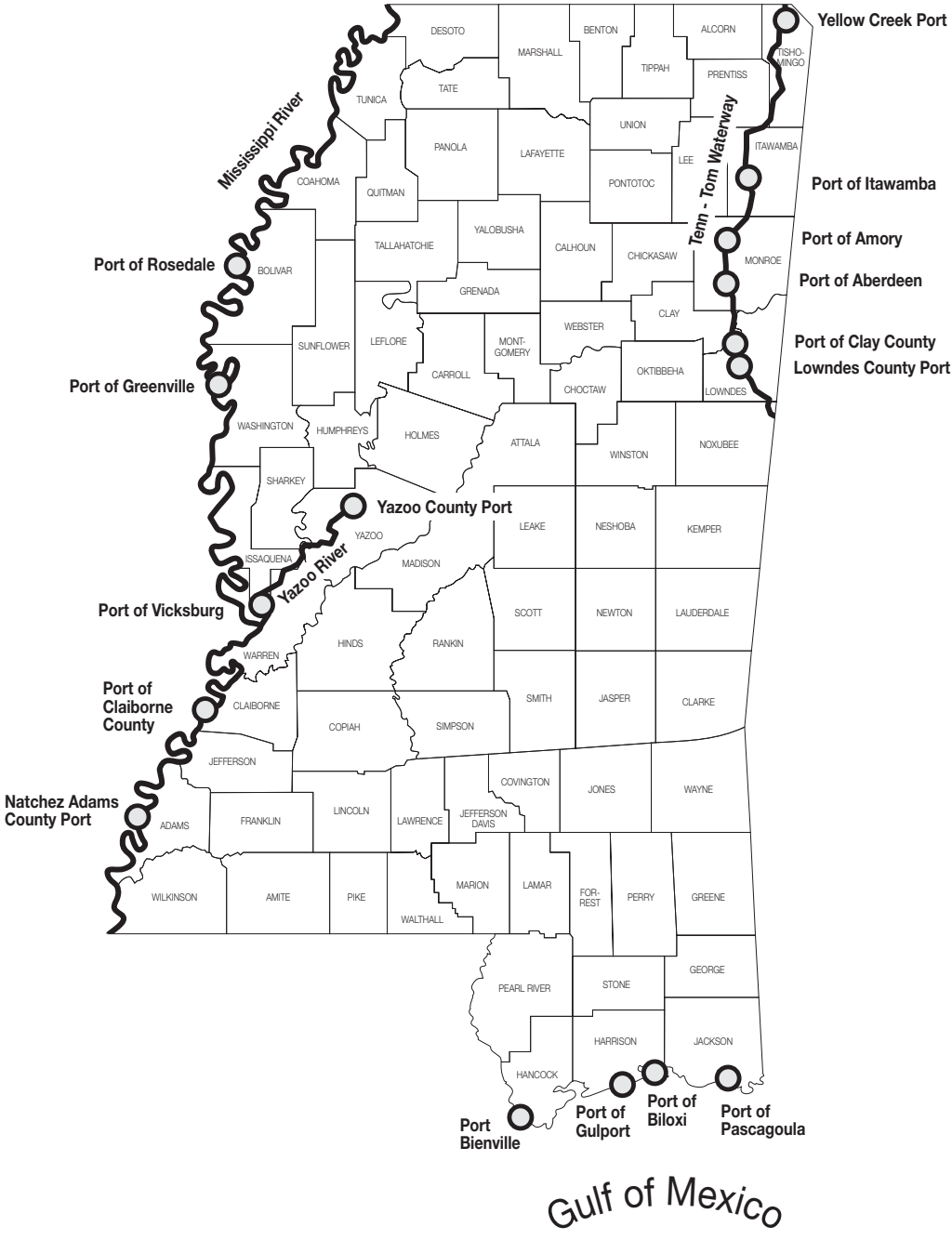


Railroads in Mississippi



AGR - Alabama & Gulf Coast
BNSF - Burlington Northern Santa Fe
CAGY - Columbus & Greenville
CSX - CSX Transportation
GLSR - Gloster Southern (GA Pacific)
GTR - Great River
GTRA - Golden Triangle
IC - Illinois Central
KCS - Kansas City Southern
KSRY - Kosciusko & Southwestern
LXVR - Luxapalila Valley Railroad
M&B - Meridian & Bigbee
MSV - Mississippi & Skuna Valley
MCR - Mississippi Central
MDS - Meridian Southern
MSE - Mississippi Export
MISS - Mississippian
MSDR - Mississippi Delta
MT - Mississippi Tennessee Railnet
NWS - Norfolk Southern
OAR - Old Augusta
PBVR - Port Bienville
PRV - Pearl River Valley
RDMT - Redmont

Ports in Mississippi



Courts

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF COURTS

P.O. Box 117
Jackson 39205
(601) 354-7406/(f) (601) 354-7459
E-mail: lackeyjk@mssc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us/AOC
Executive officer: Kevin Lackey, Administrative Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Supreme Court Justices
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 9-21-1 et seq. (1972)

Duties and responsibilities. To administer the state court system; to compile statistical and financial reports from the state courts; prescribe uniform administrative and business methods systems to be used by the state courts; to prepare judicial system budget; oversee personnel policies; and recommend improvements in the operation of the judicial system.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

P.O. Box 220
Jackson 39205-0220
(601) 359-3680/(f) (601) 359-3796
E-mail: msag05@ago.state.ms.us
Website: www.ago.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Attorney General Jim Hood
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 173 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Mike Langford . . . . .Deputy Attorney General, Local Government and Opinions
Onetta Whitley . . . . .Deputy Attorney General; Special Assistant, State Government
Lee Martin . . . . . .Special Assistant Attorney General, Public Integrity Division
Rick Moore . . . . . .Special Assistant Attorney General, Civil Litigation Division
Charlie Maris . . . . . .Special Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division
Robert Kersh . . . . . .Administration

Duties and responsibilities. To the chief legal officer and advisor for the State. The responsibility is two-fold: to serve as lawyer for the State, its public officials and government agencies, and to issue legal opinions which interpret existing state law. The Attorney General has the sole power under Mississippi law to bring or defend a lawsuit on behalf of the State. The Attorney General is also empowered to act as counsel to state agencies and to defend them or bring suit on their behalf, either in person or by assistants.

The major divisions and sections of this office are Litigation, Opinion Processing, Governmental Affairs, Public Integrity Investigations, and Public Interest Advocacy. For more information about the Attorney General, see pages 52-53.

BOARD OF BAR ADMISSIONS

P.O. Box 1449
Jackson 39215-1449
(601) 354-6055/(f) (601) 354-6054
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Linda B. Knight, Bar Admissions Administrator
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-3-2 (1972)

Nine members, serving staggered, three-year terms; three each from the Supreme Court Districts appointed by the Supreme Court.

Board Members

Michael C. Barefield . . . . . .Gulfport, 10/2005
Jay P. Carmean . . . . . .Oxford, 10/2007
James R. Mozingo . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2006
Marjorie T. O'Donnell . . . . . .Oxford, 10/2006
Karen K. Sawyer* . . . . . .Gulfport, 10/2004

Pieter J. Teeuwissen . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2007
G. Kay Lord Trapp . . . . . .Tupelo, 10/2005
F.M. (Rae) Turner III . . . . .Hattiesburg, 10/2006
H. Hunter Twiford III . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2005
** Board Members continue term until replaced*

Managerial Staff
Glenda Middleton . . .Administrative Assistant
Rona Lyle . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To administer the rules of admission to the Mississippi Bar, as adopted by the Mississippi Supreme Court, including the preparation, administration, and evaluation of two bar examinations annually and the determination of the fitness and qualifications of persons seeking admission to practice law in the State of Mississippi.

COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL PERFORMANCE

P.O. Box 22527
Jackson 39225-2527
(601) 359-1273/(f) (601) 354-6277
E-mail: mailbox@judperf.state.ms.us
Website: www.judperf.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Luther T. Brantley III
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 9-19-1 (1972)

Seven members as designated by statute, serving staggered, six-year terms.

Commission Members
Judge Patricia D. Wise . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Judge Frank M. Coleman . . .Meridian, 12/2008
Judge Henry L. Lackey . .Calhoun City, 12/2009
Judge Melvin J. Ray . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2007
Leslie B. Lampton . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Charles McKee . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2006
Gaines S. Dyer, Esquire . . .Greenville, 12/2011

Alternates
Judge H. David Clark II . . . . . .Forest, 12/2008
Judge Charles R. Brett . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2008
Judge Lee J. Howard . . . . . .Starkville, 12/2009
Judge John Shirley . . . . . .Pearl, 12/2007
Margarett Barnes . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Magdalene Abraham . . . .Greenwood, 12/2005
Robert R. Bailess, Esquire . .Vicksburg, 12/2011

Duties and responsibilities. To receive, investigate, and process allegations of judicial misconduct and disability and, where appropriate, to recommend judicial discipline to the Mississippi Supreme Court, in accordance with § 177A of Mississippi Constitution.

COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

P.O. Box 22847
Jackson 39225-2847
(601) 354-7410/(f) (601) 354-7472
E-mail: sctclerk@mssc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Leslie D. King, Chief Judge
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Chief Justice
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 69-27-9 (1972)

Ten judges, serving staggered, ten-year terms, two elected from each of the five 1995 Congressional Districts.

Judges
Tyree Irving . . . . . .District 2, Place 1, 01/2011
Presiding Judge Leslie H. Southwick . .District 4, Place 1, 01/2007
William H. Myers . .District 5, Place 1, 01/2011
Chief Judge Leslie D. King . . . . . .District 2, Place 2, 01/2009
T. Kenneth Griffis, Jr. District 3, Place 2, 01/2007
L. Joseph Lee . . . . . .District 4, Place 2, 01/2007
Donna M. Barnes . . .District 1, Place 2, 01/2007
David A. Chandler . .District 1, Place 1, 01/2007
Presiding Judge Billy G. Bridge . . . . .District 3, Place 1, 01/2009

Managerial Staff
Betty Sephton . . . . . .Court Clerk
Judy Lacy . . . . . .Court Administrator

Duties and responsibilities. To determine or otherwise dispose of any appeal or other proceeding assigned to it by the Supreme Court of Mississippi. For more information about Appeals Court Judges, see pages 159 and 173-181.

MISSISSIPPI JUDICIAL ADVISORY STUDY COMMITTEE

P.O. Box 117
Jackson 39205
(601) 354-7406/(f) (601) 354-7459
Executive officer: Kevin Lackey, Administrative Office of Courts Liaison
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Committee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 9-21-21 (1972)

Twenty-one voting members and two non-voting members, serving three-year terms; three appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court; one appointed by the Chief Judge of Appeals Court; the remainder as designated by statute.

Committee Members

Aleita M. Sullivan . . . . . .Mendenhall
Judge Robert Oswald . . . . . .Pascagoula
L.F. Sams, Jr. . . . . .Tupelo
Judge Sebe Dale, Jr. . . . . .Columbia
Les Lampton, Sr. . . . . .Jackson
Rosemary Roosa . . . . . .Gulfport
Judge Lillie Blackmon Sanders . . . . . .Natchez
Pamela Metzler . . . . . .Bay St. Louis
Judge Norman Gillespie . . . . . .Oxford
Thomas J. O'Bierne . . . . . .Natchez
Phillip Cole . . . . . .Tupelo
Alfred H. Rhodes, Jr. . . . . .McComb
Senator Charlie Ross . . . . . .Brandon
Judge Robin Alfred Midcalf . . . . . .Gulfport
Judge Tyree Irving . . . . . .Jackson
Judge Bruce Strong . . . . . .Biloxi
Robin Robinson . . . . . .Laurel
Jack Robinson . . . . . .Jackson
Willie Blackmon . . . . . .Jackson
Judge Lamar Pickard . . . . . .Clarksdale
Howard Catchings . . . . . .Jackson
Paul Minor . . . . . .Biloxi
Rep. Edward Blackmon, Jr. . . . . .Canton

Supreme Court Liaisons

James W. Smith, Jr. . . . . .Supreme Court, Chief Justice
John Winkle . . . . . .Reporter

Duties and responsibilities. To make recommendations to the Administrative Office of Courts in the administration of the Courts; to conduct research relating to the improvement of the state's judicial system; and to make policy recommendations to promote the administration of justice and the operation of the courts.

SUPREME COURT

P.O. Box 117
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3697/(f) (601) 359-2407
E-mail: sctclerk@mssc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: James W. Smith, Chief Justice
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 144

Nine justices, serving staggered eight-year terms; three each elected by the voters from Supreme Court Districts designated by statute. Miss. Code Ann. § 89-3-1 (1972)

Justices

Chief Justice James W. Smith, Jr.
Central District 1 2009
Presiding Justice William W. Waller, Jr.
Central District 1 2014
Presiding Justice Kay B. Cobb
Northern District 3 2009
Associate Justice Oliver E. Diaz
Southern District 2 2009
Associate Justice Charles D. Easley, Jr.
Northern District 3 2009
Associate Justice George C. Carlson, Jr.
Northern District 3 2013

Associate Justice James E. Graves, Jr.
Central District 1 2013
Associate Justice Jess H. Dickinson
Southern District 2 2012
Associate Justice Michael K. Randolph
Southern District 2 2013

Managerial Staff
Stephen J. Kirchmayr . . . .Court Administrator

Duties and responsibilities. The Supreme Court functions as the highest court in the state court system, performing duties mandated by the Constitution of 1890. For more information about the Supreme Court Justices, see pages 158-159 and 163-172.

SUPREME COURT CLERK

P.O Box 249
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3694/(f) (601) 359-2407
E-mail: sctclerk@mssc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us/ClerksOffice/default.asp
Executive officer: Betty Sephton
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Supreme Court
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 168 (amended 1976)

Managerial Staff
Kathy Gillis . . . . . .Chief Deputy Clerk
Bettye Malanchak . . . . . .Deputy Clerk

Duties and responsibilities. To manage operation of the State's judiciary at the appellate level. The office is maintained within the framework of statutes enacted by the Legislature and rules, regulations, and orders promulgated by the Supreme Court Justices. The Clerk's office renders services, not only to the Court, but also to the members of the Mississippi Bar; circuit and chancery clerks; circuit, chancery, and county judges; court reporters; litigants without lawyers; the public; and the Department of Corrections inmates.

TORT CLAIMS BOARD

P.O. Box 267
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3402/(f) (601) 359-3262
E-mail: hardyg@dfa.state.ms.us
Website: www.dfa.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Greg Hardy
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 11- 46-1 et seq. (1972)

Seven members, one appointed by the Governor to a concurrent term with advice and consent of the Senate; the remainder statutorily designated.

Board Members
Phil Bryant . . . . . .State Treasurer
Jim Hood . . . . . .Attorney General
George Dale . . . . .Commissioner of Insurance
J.K. Stringer, Jr. . . . . .D.F.A.D.E.Q.
George Phillips . .Commissioner of Public Safety
Senator Charlie Ross . . . . . .Brandon
Robert Quentin Whitwell, Jr. . . . . .Chairman

Managerial Staff
Greg Hardy . . . . . .Administrator
Bruce Don . . . . . .Claims Manager
Steven Milner . . . . . .Loss Control Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To provide administrative and technical support for the equitable settlement and payment of claims for injury or damage arising out of torts of state entities and their employees while acting within the course and scope of their employment through management of the Mississippi Tort Claims Fund, legal defense of litigated claims, establishment and maintenance of loss control programs and oversight of liability insurance coverage plans of all political subdivisions of the state.

STATE LAW LIBRARY

P.O. Box 1040
Jackson 39215-1040
(601) 359-3672/(f) (601) 359-2912
E-mail: cpearce@mssc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mssc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Charles Pearce, State Librarian
Selection of executive officer: Selected by the Supreme Court with confirmation of the General Session of the Legislature
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-1-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

David Myers . . .Information Services Librarian
Liz Thompson . . . . . .Information Processing Librarian

Duties and responsibilities. To provide law library services to the Supreme Court and other state courts, to state officials and to the general public.

Economic Development

DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND CONSUMER FINANCE

P.O. Drawer 23729
Jackson 39225-3729
(601) 359-1031/(f) (601) 359-3557
E-mail: webmaster@dbcf.state.ms.us
Website: www.dbcf.state.ms.us
Executive officer: John S. Allison, Commissioner
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor.
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 81-1-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Theresa L. Brady . . . . . .Deputy Commissioner

Duties and responsibilities. To execute all laws relating to banks, savings and loans, savings banks, credit unions, trust companies, small loan companies, motor vehicle sales, insurance premium financing, sale of checks, consumer loan brokers, mortgage brokers, mortgage companies, mortgage originators, check cashers, title pledge lenders, pawnbrokers and debt management companies; to periodically examine the books and records of all entities to ensure compliance with statutes and regulations.

STATE BOARD OF BANKING REVIEW

P.O. Drawer 23729
Jackson 39225-3729
(601) 359-1031/(f) (601) 359-3557
E-mail: webmaster@dbcf.state.ms.us
Website: www.dbcf.state.ms.us
Executive Officer: John S. Allison, Commissioner
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 81-3-12 (1972)

Selection of Board Members: Appointed by Governor for terms of five years. The Board is composed of five members, one member from each of the Supreme Court Districts, who represent the depositors and the public in general, and two members from the State at large, who are bankers and represent the banking industry.

Board Members

Karen Holliday . . . . . Tupelo, 03/2006
Marcus Martin . . . . . Laurel, 03/2007
Stephen C. Davenport . . . . . Madison, 03/2008
James H. Clayton . . . . . .Indianola, 03/2009
Thomas E. Brown . . . . . .Bay Springs, 03/2010

Duties and responsibilities. The Board's sole duties are consideration of applications for authority to establish a bank (grant or deny charter), to hear branch applications that are protested or denied by the Commissioner, and to adopt rules and regulations creating parity between State chartered banks and national banks.

MISSISSIPPI BUSINESS FINANCE CORPORATION

735 Riverside Dr., Ste. 300
Jackson 39202
(601) 355-6232/(f) (601) 355-3888
E-mail: bbarry@mbfc.cc
Website: www.msbusinessfinance.com
Executive officer: Bill Barry
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 57-10-167 (1972)

Twenty-five members, serving staggered, six-year terms, as designated by the Senate.

Mack H. Brewer . . . . . .McComb, 04/2011
Adolph Hilliard . . . . . .Cleveland, 04/2008
Billy F. Thornton, Jr. . . . . .Gulfport, 04/2006
Fred Carlisle . . . . . .Holly Springs, 04/2008
Joe Usry . . . . . .Shiloh, 04/2008
Nancy King . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2007
Dana M. Lott . . . . . .Madison, 04/2008
Richard C. Robertson . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2008
William L. Freeman, Jr. . . . . .Newton, 04/2008
William D. Sones . . . . . .Brookhaven, 07/2009
Joanna P. Heidel . . . . . .Vicksburg, 04/2009
Gary J. Harkins . . . . . .Brandon, 01/2009
Richard Devoe . . . . . .Oxford, 04/2009
Sam Albritton . . . . . .Gulfport, 04/2010
Leroy G. Walker, Jr. . . . . .Jackson, 07/2003
Joe Vann . . . . . .Corinth, 06/2006
Gee Gee Eloise Patridge . . . .Madison, 06/2009
Shirley Hall . . . . . .Richland, 03/2011
Joe Gregory . . . . . .Pontotoc, 03/2011
Tate Reeves . . . . . .State Treasurer, ex officio
Leland R. Speed . . . .Mississippi Development Authority, ex officio
Walter D. (Doug) Gurley, Jr. . . .Mississippi Small Business Development Center, ex officio
Phil Pepper . . . . . .Center for Policy Research and Planning, IHL, ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. To administer incentive programs to assist businesses in obtaining loans for development and/or expansion. The corporation is governed by a 25-member board with administrative support provided by the Mississippi Development Authority. The corporation is a comprehensive financing source, allowing companies locating or expanding in Mississippi to review all financing and incentive alternatives through one contact.

MISSISSIPPI COAST COLISEUM COMMISSION

P.O. Box 4676
Biloxi 39531-4676
2350 Beach Blvd.
Biloxi 39531-4676
(228) 594-3700/(f) (228) 594-3812
E-mail: mail@mscoastcoliseum.com
Website: www.mscoastcoliseum.com
Executive officer: William F. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 55-24-3 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; three appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the Harrison County Board of Supervisors, and one appointed by the mayors of Harrison County municipalities.

Commission Members

Walter Blessey . . . . . .Biloxi, 04/2006
Cathye Ross . . . . . .Ocean Springs, 04/2008
Mark Mavar . . . . . .Biloxi, 04/2009
Mitch Salloum, Jr. . . . . .Gulfport, 04/2007
William Mitchell . . . . . .Pass Christian, 04/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To exercise jurisdiction and authority over all matters relating to establishing, promoting, developing, locating, constructing, maintaining, and operating a multi-purpose coliseum and related facilities within Harrison County.

MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

P.O. Box 849
Jackson 39205
The main office is located at:
501 N. West St.
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-3449/(f) (601) 359-2832
Website: www.mississippi.org
Executive officer: Leland R. Speed
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 57-1-5

Managerial Staff

Gray Swoope .....Deputy Director and Chief Operating Officer
Terri Hudson .....Chief Financial Officer and Deputy Director
Bill Crawford .....Deputy Director
Scott Hamilton ..... Communications,
John Helms .....Manager Research
Becky Thompson .....Manager Business Development and Trade
Jim Craig .....Manager Existing Industry and Business
Craig Ray .....Manager Tourism
Steve Hardin .....Manager Regional Services Division
Eugene McLemore .....Manager Community Services Division
Kenneth Calvin ...Manager Energy Division,
Richard Speights .....Manager Minority and Small Business Development
Donna Sanford .....Manager Accounting and Finance Bureau
Jay McCarthy .....Manager Financial Resources Division

Duties and responsibilities. To develop and manage programs which enhance the climate for economic growth through assistance to private sector business, local communities and individuals, and through an extensive national and international marketing effort.

MISSISSIPPI VETERANS MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION

P.O. Box 4574
Jackson 39296
(601) 354-6021/(f) (601) 354-6019
Website: www.mvms.ms
Executive officer: Watt Whatley
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by the commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 55-23-5 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, five-year terms; three appointed by the Governor, one by the mayor of Jackson, one by the IHL Board of Trustees. One gubernatorial appointment is from nominations by the Hinds County Board of Supervisors.

Commission Members

Clarence Johnson, Jr. .....Jackson, 05/2004
Briggs Hopson III .....Vicksburg, 05/2005
Lonnie Moore .....Jackson, 05/2007
D.E. Magee .....Jackson, 05/2007
Lamar Thaggard .....Carthage, 04/2008

Managerial Staff

Lucy S. McGregory .....Director IV
Janelle J. Graham .....Director III
Keith Wilson .....Facilities Maintenance Supervisor

Duties and responsibilities. Assist in the daily operation of the stadium, this includes office and grounds personnel. Directly responsible for promotion of stadium, to help increase attendance of football games and to increase the number of events held each year.

SPECIAL TASK FORCE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

3825 Ridgewood Rd.
Jackson 39211-6497
(601) 432-6336/(f) (601) 432-6994
E-mail: pwalley@ihl.state.ms.us
Website: www.ihl.state.ms.us/urc/planning/plandept.htm

Executive officer: Anthony Topazi
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 57-63-11 (1972)

Not more than 23 members, serving terms concurrent with the Governor, appointed by the Governor as designated by statute.

Task Force Members

Blake Wilson . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Brian Amy . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Tate Reeves . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Hank Bounds . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Leland Speed . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Charlie Williams . . . . . .Senatobia, 01/2008
Butch Brown . . . . . .Jackson, 09/2008
Anthony Topazi . . . . . .Gulfport, 01/2008
Aubrey Patterson . . . . . .Tupelo, 01/2008
Bill Lampton . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Carolyn Shanks . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Clyde Muse . . . . . .Raymond, 01/2008
Ely Mitchell . . . . . .Rienzi, 01/2008
F. Clarke Holmes . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Jeffrey Rupp . . . . . .Columbus, 012008
Jerry St. Pe . . . . . .Pascagoula, 01/2008
Jon A. Reeves . . . . . .Southaven, 01/2008
Pete Johnson . . . . . .Clarksdale, 01/2008
Robert Khayat . . . . . .University, 01/2008
Tom Donaldson . . . . . .Bay St. Louis, 01/2008
Tommy Wallace . . . . . .Columbia, 01/2008
Wade Jones . . . . . .Meridian, 01/2008
Warren Hood, Jr. . . . . .Hattiesburg, 01/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To assist the University Research Center of the MS Institutions of Higher Learning in setting measurable, achievable, and significant state economic development goals. The task force makes recommendations to achieve the stated goals.

Public Education

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Mississippi Board of Education's vision statement is "Quality education for every child...every child a reader." The Board has established educational priorities that promote equity and excellence in Mississippi's public schools. These instructional priorities, coupled with a rigorous assessment and accountability program, are intended to ensure that every student is afforded an opportunity and environment in which to learn and achieve their full potential. The key priorities identified by the Board in 2005 include: high student achievement, high quality professionals, healthy learning environment, and effective use of resources.

The State Board of Education is comprised of nine members appointed by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Types of School Districts. The school districts in Mississippi fall in five main categories:

Consolidated School Districts – Districts which lie wholly within one county, but do not include separate and countywide districts.

Line Consolidated School Districts – Districts which embrace territory in two or more counties, but do not include municipal separate school districts.

Municipal Separate School Districts – Districts that encompass the boundary of a municipality, and may have added territory.

Special Municipal Separate School Districts – Municipal separate school districts which have been reconstituted or reorganized with added territory where the added territory, exclusive of any added territory which as part of the municipal separate school district

before such reorganization, contains 25 percent or more of the total number of educable children of the district.

County School Districts – Districts which lie wholly within a county and are not constituted as either form of consolidated or municipal district.

Based on data from the 2003-2004 school year, Mississippi public school districts include 3 agricultural high schools, 68 county school districts, and 81 separate school districts.

Educator Certification and Licensure.
Mississippi issues four types of licenses to persons who have completed a state-approved teacher program and earned a degree from a regionally/nationally accredited Institution of Higher Learning:

Class A (requires a bachelor's degree)
Class AA (requires a master's degree)
Class AAA (requires a master's degree plus 30 semester hours)
Class AAAA (requires a doctorate degree)

All educators seeking initial certification in a discipline must pass the Pre-professional Skills Test (PRAXIS I) and the appropriate Subject Assessment (PRAXIS II) of the PRAXIS Series.

Mississippi issues three types of licenses to persons who have completed a state-approved educational administration/leadership program and earned a degree from a regionally or nationally accredited Institution of Higher Learning. Licensure requirements are as follows:

Completion of an approved master's, specialist, or doctoral degree in educational administration or leadership from a state approved or regionally nationally accredited institution of higher learning;

Successful completion of School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA)-Educational Testing Service; and

Institutional recommendation documenting completion of an approved planned program in educational leadership/supervision through a state-approved or regionally or nationally accredited institution of higher learning.

Education Revenue. Latest available figures show that the state legislature invests about 41.4 percent of our state's general fund budget in public education. The total revenue supporting Mississippi's public education is $3,588,034,045. Of that amount 55.4 percent is from state sources, 29.0 percent is from local sources, and 15.6 percent is from federal sources.

Statistics
Latest available figures show the following public education statistics:

Students	492,557
School Districts	152
Schools	1,055
School Buses	7,253
Miles Traveled	54,618,718
Children Transported	419,784
Classroom Teachers	31,611
Instructional Personnel	35,731
Average Classroom Teacher Salary	$36,217
Average Instructional Personnel Salary	$37,690

A Brief History of Sixteenth Section Public School Trust Lands

FROM COLONIAL DAYS TO STATEHOOD

The origin of Sixteenth Section Public School Trust Lands in America can be traced to the British and colonial tradition of reserving land for the support of public schools. After the formation of the Union, Thomas Jefferson incorporated the practice into the Land Ordinance of 1785.

Designed to encourage westward expansion, the Ordinance adopted a six-square-mile

township as its basic unit of measure and "…reserved the lot no. 16, of every township, for the maintenance of public schools within said township…"

The reservation of land for public schools was further confirmed in the Northwest Ordinance of 1787. Later, in 1798, when Congress established the Mississippi Territory, it provided a government initially based on the Northwest Ordinance model.

With division of the Mississippi Territory in 1817 to form the State of Mississippi and the Territory of Alabama, Congress called for a survey of land in the new state. Again, sixteenth section land was reserved in each township.

THE TREATIES

At the time of statehood, Native Americans inhabited Mississippi. The Choctaw Nation occupied the area south and west of a line extending southeasterly from the Coahoma and Tunica County boundary to a point on the old Natchez Trace in Webster County and then across Clay County in a generally southeasterly direction to a point on the Tombigbee River. The Chickasaw Nation inhabited the area north and east of that line.

In September 1830, the United States and the Choctaws signed the Treaty of Dancing Rabbit Creek. In accordance with the treaty, sixteenth sections were reserved from government land sales.

The territorial claims of the Chickasaws were resolved with their removal under the Treaty of Pontotoc in 1832. Although these lands were to be sold by the government to private parties "…in the same manner…," they were, in fact, sold with no sixteenth section reservations.

Today, 15 counties lie entirely north of the Choctaw-Chickasaw Boundary and have no reserved sixteenth section lands. The counties are Tishomingo, Alcorn, Tippah, Benton, Marshall, DeSoto, Tunica, Tate, Lafayette, Union, Prentiss, Itawamba, Lee, Pontotoc, and Chickasaw. Another seven, Quitman, Panola, Yalobusha, Calhoun, Webster, Clay, and Monroe, are bisected by the Choctaw-Chickasaw Boundary and have no sixteenth section lands in the portions of those counties lying north of the boundary. Although the boundary passes through Tallahatchie County, there are no sixteenth sections lying north of the boundary in that county.

CHICKASAW CESSIONS LANDS

To compensate for this failure, in 1836 Congress granted the State of Mississippi 174,555 acres of unsold public land in Bolivar, Coahoma, Tallahatchie, Quitman, Panola, and Leake counties. In the 1850s, Congress and the State of Mississippi allowed this lieu land to be sold. Mississippi invested the $1,047,330 realized from the sale in 8 percent interest loans to railroad companies in the State. The principal was lost with the destruction of the railroads during the Civil War.

Thereafter, the Mississippi Legislature began making annual appropriations to school districts in the Chickasaw Cession equal to the 8 percent interest on the lost principal. The interest amount was reduced from 8 to 6 percent by the Constitution of 1890.

For decades, annual appropriations totaling approximately $62,000 were made to the school districts in the Chickasaw Cession. But, by the 1980's the estimated annual appropriation amounted to only $0.63 per pupil in the Chickasaw Cession school districts, while the estimated average income per pupil from sixteenth section land in the Choctaw Cession counties was $75.34.

In 1981, Chickasaw Cession school districts successfully challenged the disparity as a

violation of the United States Constitution's equal protection clause. As a result, the Chickasaw Cession school districts now receive a payment per teacher unit based on the average annual expendable sixteenth section revenue per teacher unit received by the Choctaw Cession school districts, less the amount of the annual interest appropriation.

CHOCTAW CESSIONS LANDS

In 1890, the United States Supreme Court declared the early laws reserving land in each township for the support of public education to be a "binding and perpetual obligation."

In 1895 the Mississippi Supreme Court ruled that sixteenth section lands are held by the State in trust for public schools. In 1906, Mississippi Supreme Court Chief Justice A.H. Whitfield opined:

"Sixteenth sections are set apart as a sacred trust. No greater trust can be committed to any state than that of the education of the children within its borders …And, if one such trust can be more sacred than another, it is that trust designed to bring home to the doors of the poor children of the commonwealth the means of acquiring a good education."

Despite Congressional and federal and state judicial endorsements, management of the sixteenth section land, with few exceptions, ranged from indifferent to abusive. Disregarding the Mississippi Constitution's prohibition against donation of public lands, many 99-year leases of sixteenth section lands were given for one-time payments. Through generations, leaseholders mistakenly came to view themselves as the actual owners of the sixteenth sections.

This perception began to change in the early 1970s when Smith County Superintendent of Education Joe Tally refused to sign inadequately compensated leases. Litigation resulted in a Mississippi Supreme Court decision holding that sixteenth section lands must be leased for fair market value. The 1974 Legislature gave local school boards veto power in leasing sixteenth section land.

SIXTEENTH SECTION LAND REFORM ACT OF 1978

In 1978, Sixteenth Section and Lieu Land Act was passed by the Legislature, with Lieutenant Governor Evelyn Gandy casting the tie-breaking vote in the Senate. It provides that sixteenth section school lands and lieu lands are held in trust for the benefit of the public schools; it transfers control of public school trust lands from the Boards of Supervisors to the Boards of Education, under the general supervision of the Secretary of State.

CLASSIFICATION OF SIXTEENTH SECTION LANDS

Since the passage of the 1978 Sixteenth Section and Lieu Land Act, sixteenth section land leases are based on a classification system. The nine classifications include: Forest Land, Agricultural Land, Industrial Land, Commercial Land, Residential Land, Farm Residential Land, Recreational Land, Other Land, and Catfish Farming Land. Classification is determined by a finding of the highest and best use of the land for producing the maximum revenue.

TIMBER AND FOREST LAND

All timber on sixteenth section land is under the general supervision and management of the Mississippi Forestry Commission.

LEASING – COMPETITIVE BIDDING

The local Boards of Education offer hunting and fishing leases, agricultural leases, and mineral leases through a competitive bidding process.

Only forest land may be leased for hunting and fishing. Leases are awarded to the highest bidder after advertisement. The most recent leaseholder of a hunting and fishing lease has the right to renew his lease by matching the highest acceptable bid received.

Agricultural leases are granted to the highest bidder after advertisement. Agricultural land may be leased for a maximum term of ten years for the cultivation of rice or for pasturage. For all other agricultural uses, the maximum term is five years.

All sixteenth section lands, regardless of classification, may be leased for the exploration, development, mining, and production of oil, gas, and minerals including: carbon dioxide and other gaseous substances; metals, compounds of metals, metal-bearing ores; coal, lignite, sulfur, salt, sand, gravel, fill dirt, and clay. The local Boards of Education grant leases to the highest bidders after advertisement.

LEASING – BY APPLICATION AND APPRAISAL

Leases for all sixteenth section land classifications, except for agricultural leases, hunting and fishing leases on forest land, and oil, gas, and mineral leases, are let by application to the local Superintendent of Education and upon approval of the Board of Education. Such leases must also be submitted to the Board of Supervisors for approval of the annual rental amount.

Annual rent for leases granted upon application is set at the appraised fair market rental of the land, excluding buildings and improvements not owned by the school district. For leases of industrial land and commercial land, the annual rental may not be set at less than five percent of the current market value, exclusive of buildings or improvements not owned by the school district.

The maximum lease term for all land classifications leased upon application is 40 years, and rent adjustment clauses are mandatory, except in leases of residential and farm residential land. Rent adjustment clauses are optional, but recommended, in residential and farm residential leases.

The holder of a lease granted upon application has a prior right to re-lease or extend an existing lease on terms as may be agreed upon with the Board of Education, but subject to the classification of the land.

ASSIGNMENTS

Assignments of leases of sixteenth section lands are allowed only if the lease contract so provides, or at the discretion of the Board of Education, provided that it may not arbitrarily withhold permission for assignment.

REVENUES – EXPENDABLE AND NON-EXPENDABLE FUNDS

Revenues collected from the following sources are deemed expendable funds: lease bonuses and annual delay rentals collected under oil, gas and mineral leases; annual rents collected under leases covering all sixteenth section land classifications; interest received upon loans or investments of the principal fund; and proceeds from the sale of timber. Generally, expendable funds may be used for all the same purposes as other available school funds in operating and maintaining the schools of the district.

The principal fund is a permanent fund consisting of revenue received from the following sources: easements and rights-of-way; sales of lieu land; permanent damages to school trust land; sales of nonrenewable resources including, but not limited to, the sale of sand, gravel, dirt, clays, and royalties received from the sale of mineral ores, coal,

oil, and gas; sales of buildings on sixteenth section lands, and sales of timber. Except for income from timber sales, funds required to be deposited into the principal fund are not expendable. However, if a district desires to spend income from timber sales, it must maintain a separate principal fund account for timber income.

Districts are authorized to borrow principal funds at a rate of interest of not less than four percent per annum for a term of not more than 20 years for the erection, equipment, or repair of school buildings, improvement of timber stands, and to provided funds for any building project approved by the State Board of Education. Additionally, districts may borrow funds, at the same interest rate, for a term not exceeding ten years for the purchase of school buses.

It is the duty of the Board of Education to keep the principal fund invested.

BUILDING ON REFORM

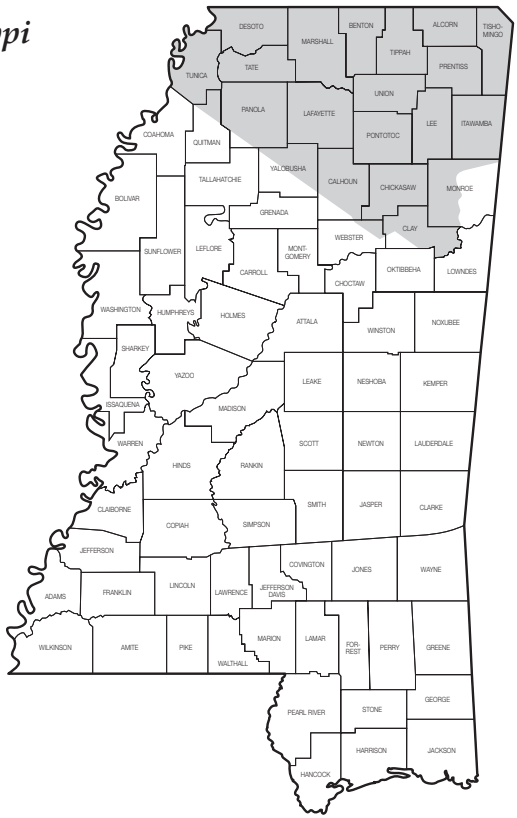
Great strides have been made in the management of the sixteenth section lands since the passage of the 1978 Sixteenth Section and Lieu Land Act. Under the leadership of former State Land Commissioner, John Ed Ainsworth, and former Secretaries of State, Edwin Lloyd Pittman and Dick Molpus, bold and courageous steps were taken to correct past abuses and to institute sound management practices.

As a strong proponent and defender of all public school trust lands, Secretary of State Eric Clark continues that tradition with the pledge to make sound management and full utilization of the sixteenth section land a priority of his tenure.

School Lands in Mississippi

Chickasaw Area

Choctaw Area



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Duties and responsibilities. To provide instructional, educational, and public service programs for the students and citizens of Mississippi through educational television and radio systems. Responsibilities include the administration, operation, control, and supervision of educational television and radio. Educational telecommunication initiatives include interactive, compressed video networks (Fibernet 2000 and the Star School Network), Instructional Television Fixed Service (EdNet), K-12 classes, and college telecourse programs on ETV, and classes via satellite (Satellite Education Resources Consortium).

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Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 39-3-101 (1972)
Five members serving five-year, staggered terms; appointed by the Governor as statutorily designated with advice and consent of the Senate.

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Margaret Murray . . . . . .Director, Development Services Division
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Jane Smith . . . . . .Director, Special Projects

Duties and responsibilities. To advise all schools, public and other libraries, and all communities which may propose to establish libraries as to the best means of establishing and maintaining them. For a complete list of the public libraries in Mississippi, see pages 695-710.

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Billy Mayfield . . . . . .High School Principal
Linda Baker . . . . . .Director of Pre-Vocational/ Deaf-Blind Program
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Rosie Jefferson . . . . . .Supervisor, Residential Education Parents
Jonnie Chapmann . . . . .Supervisor, Residential Education Parents

Duties and responsibilities. To provide visually handicapped children with the education resources and special training they need in order to prepare them for the fullest possible participation in the sighted world. The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools accredits the school.

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Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-5-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff
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Roger Tullos . . . .Residents Education Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To provide an education program for children with the primary handicapping condition of deafness, ages pre-school through twenty-one.

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Duties and responsibilities. To manage the Mississippi Prepaid Affordable College Tuition Plan (MPACT) and the Mississippi Affordable College Savings (MACS) programs to assist Mississippi families in planning and saving for the cost of higher education.

Community Colleges

Mississippi's public community and junior college system began in 1924 when the Legislature authorized agricultural high schools and certain municipal school districts to include the freshman and/or sophomore years of college work. Four years later, these schools were directed to establish junior colleges and other school districts; counties were also allowed to unite to establish junior colleges of their own. By 1931, 11 such institutions had been formed in connection with agricultural high schools. The combined enrollment was 1,619 students. By 1950, four additional junior colleges were established, and the 15 districts boasted a combined enrollment of 7,984.

In 1987, the colleges were allowed to change their names to community college as a more appropriate description of their relationships with their districts. Today, 15 community and junior colleges operate 33 centers. The system includes 30 comprehensive campuses, two vocational-technical centers, and one academic

extension center. Latest available figures show a total enrollment of 91,147 students with 72.3 percent in academic courses, and 26.8 percent in vocational-technical programs. More than 202,000 students are taking advantage of the continuing education, economic development, and workforce training programs provided through the state's community and junior colleges. Of the current enrollment, 98 percent of the students are Mississippi residents; 64 percent are female, 30 percent are part-time, and 43 percent are minority students.

MISSION

Early junior colleges offered the freshman and sophomore years of academic college. During the 1940s, vocational and trade programs were upgraded and expanded to accommodate World War II efforts and the re-training of veterans. Nursing education, vocational, and technical education were added as missions during the 1950s and 1960s. Public community colleges are the delivery systems for post-secondary vocational-technical education in Mississippi. Approximately 550 approved courses afford a choice of more than 110 unduplicated programs. Miss. Code Ann. § 37-4-1 (1972) sets the mission of community and junior colleges to provide educational services for the people of the state through:

- Academic courses and degrees for transfer to universities and senior colleges
- Academic, technical, and vocational programs for career goals
- Continuing education opportunities
- Civic, economic, and cultural growth leadership
- Organization and Governance

The State Board for Community and Junior Colleges is given the responsibility of administering state-funded industrial training, adult post secondary short-term training, and state workforce education programs. The Board is designated to be the primary support agency to the workforce development centers across the state.

The public community/junior college districts are political subdivisions of local rather than state government. Each district is governed by local boards of trustees which are comprised of from two to six members from each county in the district. The county superintendent of education may serve as one member with other members appointed by the boards of supervisors of the counties. Trustees serve five-year terms.

The State Board of Community and Junior Colleges was established as an independent state-level coordinating agency for the system, replacing the Junior College Commission. The State board is comprised of ten members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. Members serve six-year staggered terms. The Board administers state laws and appropriations for the system, sets standards for operation, and approves new programs and attendance centers for the colleges.

FINANCE

Latest figures show the total appropriation for the community and junior colleges to be $157 million. Budgets were derived from state appropriations, direct and indirect – 50.9 percent; student fees – 27.0 percent; county taxes and other local taxes – 13.7 percent; and federal funds – 8.4 percent.

STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY AND JUNIOR COLLEGES

3825 Ridgewood Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 432-6518/(f) (601) 432-6363
E-mail: scypher@sbcjc.cc.ms.us
Website: www.sbcjc.cc.ms.us
Executive officer: Wayne Stonecypher, Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-4-3 (1972)

Ten members serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate as statutorily designated.

Jimmy Murphy . . . . . .Booneville, 06/2006
Lawrence Warren . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2006
Veldore Young Heidelberg .Meridian, 06/2006
Donald Green . . . . . .Clarksdale, 06/2007
Dorothy Smith-Nelson . . . .Greenville, 06/2007
Maj. Gen. Denver Brackeen . . .Union, 06/2008
Napolean Moore . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
Patricia Randall . . . . . .McComb, 06/2007
Brenda R. Yonge . . . . . .Lucedale, 06/2009
George F. Walker . . . . . .Clarksdale, 06/2009
Chip Crane . . . . . .Fulton, 06/2009

Duties and responsibilities. Coordinates the state system of 15 public community and junior colleges by conducting studies and assembling reports to the Legislature and general public, approving new programs of vocational and technical programs, recommending to the Legislature the establishment of new attendance centers and campuses, fixing standards for the colleges to qualify for state appropriations, and administering state laws and appropriations. The public community and junior colleges offer quality educational courses and activities to post-high school citizens of the state. This consists of courses and programs which are the freshmen and sophomore years of academic or baccalaureate degree, occupational training programs of crafts, skills, and technologies to prepare individuals to enter, advance, and make transitions in the workforce, instructional and training activities to meet the other educational, personal, and cultural needs of citizens, including developmental studies, community services, and personal interest classes and activities.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS CONFERENCE AND TRAINING CENTER COMMISSION

501 N. West St., 6th Floor
P.O. Box 849
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-3449/(f) (601) 359-2832
Executive officer: Leland Speed
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 31-31-5 (1972)

Eleven members, serving terms as designated by statute.

Commission Members
Carl Furr
Haley Fisackerly
Daniel Jones
Janet Mann
Ronald Mason
George May
Frank Melton
William Mounger II
Leland Speed
Dana Stringer
Wanda Wilson

Duties and responsibilities. To oversee the establishment, construction, maintenance, equipping, operation and regulation of the Mississippi Telecommunication Conference and Training Center.

COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

3240 Friars Point Rd.
Clarksdale 38614
(662) 621-4130/(f) (662) 627-9451
E-mail: vpresley@coahomacc.edu
Website: www.coahomacc.edu
Executive officer: Vivian M. Presley, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations

Clarksdale
510 Sunbelt Dr.
Clarksdale 38614

Board Members

Willie Blocker . . . . . .Shelby, 02/2008
Rena Butler . . . . . .Clarksdale, 06/2010
Ned Gathwright . . . . . .Marks, 01/2007
Jerry Gentry* . . . . . .Tunica
Donald Clarks . . . . . .Clarksdale, 02/2008
Dennis Hawkins . . . . . .Clarksdale, 02/2009
Andrew Hawkins . . . . . .Glendora, 06/2010
Howard Hollins* . . . . . .Webb
Robert G. Mason . . . . . .Cleveland, 01/2007
Valmadge Towner* . . . . . .Marks
Johnny McGlown . . . . . .Lyon, 06/2006
Pauline Rhodes* . . . . . .Clarksdale
David Williams . . . . . .Tunica, 06/2006

**Terms concurrent with County Superintendent of Education*

Managerial Staff

Rosetta Howard . . . . . .Academic Dean
Milroy Harris . . . .Physical Plant Management
Deborah Meeks . . . . . .Director of Fiscal Affairs

COPIAH-LINCOLN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

P.O. Box 457
Wesson 39191
(601) 643-5101/(f) (601) 643-8213
E-mail: howell.garner@colin.edu
Website: www.colin.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Howell C. Garner, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations

Wesson Campus
P.O. Box 457
Wesson 39191

Natchez Campus
11 Co-Lin Cir.
Natchez 39120

Simpson County Center
2612 Simpson Hwy. 49
Mendenhall 39114

Board Members

Steven Ammann . . . . . .Mendenhall, 12/2006
Eugene Bates . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2007
Terry Brister . . . . . .Bogue Chitto, 12/2007
Jack Burt . . . . . .Crystal Springs, 12/2006
Don Cagle . . . . . .Wesson, 12/2008
Jack Case . . . . . .Bogue Chitto, 12/2005
Russell Caudill . . . . . .Monticello, 12/2007
Mary Cleveland . . . . . .Hazlehurst, 12/2007
Rickey Clopton . . . . . .Wesson, 12/2007
John Dickey . . . . . .Fayette, 12/2007
Lynwood Easterling . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2009
Charles Gilbert . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2007
Willie Harrison . . . . . .Brookhaven, 12/2007
Tommy Jolly . . . . . .Monticello, 12/2009
Melton King . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2008
Randall Lofton . . . . . .Brookhaven, 12/2006
Jack McAlpin . . . . . .Magee, 12/2007
Penny McAlpin . . . . . .Magee, 12/2008

Anthony Morris* . . . . . .Natchez
Thelma Newsome . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2005
Tommy Sasser . . . . . .Bogue Chitto, 12/2009
Rickey Smith . . . . . .Wesson, 12/2009
Lona Thomas . . . . . .Meadville, 12/2007
Barry Tyson . . . . . .Bude, 12/2007
Steve Wells . . . . . .Brookhaven, 12/2008
Mildred M. Williams . .Crystal Springs, 12/2005
Roy Winkworth . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2006

**Term concurrent with County Superintendent of Education*

Managerial Staff

Ronald E. Nettles . . . .Executive Vice President
Michael Tanner . . . . . .Vice President of Business Affairs
Gwyn Young . .Vice President of Student Affairs
Natalie Davis . . . .Director of Public Information
Louis Dugas . . . . . .Dean of Career-Technical & Workforce Education
Charlotte Hill . . . . . .Executive Director of the Co-Lin Foundation & Alumni Affairs
Billy Stewart . . . . . .Dean of the Simpson County Center
Gwen McCalip . . .Dean of the Natchez Campus
Jane Hulon . . . . .Dean of Academic Instruction

EAST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

P.O. Box 158
Scooba 39358
(662) 476-8442/(f) (662) 476-5058
E-mail: ryoung@eastms.edu
Website: www.eastms.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Rick Young, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations

Golden Triangle
P.O. Box 100
Mayhew 39753

Columbus Air Force Base
14 MSSQ/MSE, 81 Fifth St., Ste. A
Columbus Air Force Base 39701-5000

Noxubee County Vocational Center
P.O. Box 387
Macon 39341-0387

Meridian Naval Air Station
Navy Campus Center, Bldg. 266
Meridian 39309

Board Members

Susan Moates . . . . . .West Point
Ann Marie Lamb . . . . . .West Point
Larry Bell . . . . . .Starkville
Charles Rigdon . . . . . .Columbus
R.S. Wofford . . . . . .Starkville
Randy Rigdon . . . . . .Porterville
Billie Dickson . . . . . .Macon
Teresa Hughes . . . . . .Macon
Ed Mosley . . . . . .Meridian
Dennis Morgan . . . . . .Toomsuba
Tim Heard . . . . . .Columbus
Linda Jackson . . . . . .Preston

Managerial Staff

W.S. (Bud) Smith . . . . . .Vice President of Scooba Campus & Enrollment Management Officer
John F. Perry . . . . . .Vice President of Academics & Distance Learning
David Mullins . . . . . .Vice President for Institutional Research, Advancement, Technology, and Accreditation
Debby Gard . . . . . .Chief Financial Officer
Mickey Stokes . . . . . .Senior Dean of Students, Enrollment Services & Civil Rights Coordinator
Paul Miller . . . . . .VP for GT Center & C/T Education

EAST CENTRAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

P.O. Box 129
Decatur 39327-0129
(601) 635-2111; (877) GO2-ECCC/(f) (601) 635-4011
Website: www.eccc.edu
E-mail: psutphin@eccc.edu
Executive officer: Phil A. Sutphin, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Location
Philadelphia/Neshoba County Vocational Technical Center
900 Valley Dr.
Philadelphia 39350
(601) 656-8544

Board Members
Robert Blount . . . . . .Union, 12/2007
David Byars . . . . . .Philadelphia, 12/2009
Patsy Clark . . . . . .Louisville, 02/2009
Edsel Cliburn . . . . . .Union, 12/2005
Kimsey Cooper . . . . . .Carthage, 12/2008
Prentice Copeland . . . . .Philadelphia, 12/2008
Vernon Crotwell . . . . . .Morton, 01/2008
Rebecca Farris . . . . . .Morton, 01/2010
Ricky Goldman . . . . . .Philadelphia, 12/2007
Beverly Hart . . . . . .Union, 09/2008
Melanie Hartley* . . . . . .Carthage
Jimmy Hollingsworth . . . . . .Lake, 01/2007
Delane Hudson . . . . . .Louisville, 02/2009
W.B. Jones . . . . . .Walnut Grove, 12/2005
Harry Kemp* . . . . . .Louisville
William Kitchings . . . . . .Carthage, 12/2009
Danny Lanier . . . . . .Little Rock, 12/2008
Randal Livingston . . . . . .Louisville, 02/2009
V.C. Manning* . . . . . .Philadelphia
Frank McCurdy* . . . . . .Morton
Gary McDill . . . . . .Conehatta, 12/2005
Jerry K. Moore . . . . . .Carthage, 12/2007
Jerry Nance . . . . . .Louisville, 08/2007
Leo Parker . . . . . .Noxapater, 03/2008
Royce Shaw . . . . . .Forest, 01/2006
Annie Stowers . . . . . .Forest, 02/2007
Bill Thames . . . . . .Newton, 09/2007
Janie Wilbanks . . . . . .Carthage, 12/2006
Eddie Willis . . . . . .Philadelphia, 12/2006
Jack Winstead . . . . . .Lawrence, 09/2006

**Terms concurrent with County Superintendent of Education*

Managerial Staff
Lavinia B. Sparkman . . . . . .Vice President for Instruction
Mickey Vance . . . . . .Vice President for Business Operations
Joe Killens . . . . . .Vice President for Student Services
Bubby Johnston . . . . . .Vice President for Public Information
Stacey Hollingsworth . . .Executive Director for Foundation and Alumni Relations

HINDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

501 E. Main St.
Raymond 39154-1100
(601) 857-5261/(f) (601) 857-3518
E-mail: info@hindscc.edu
Website: www.hindscc.edu
Executive officer: Clyde Muse, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations
Jackson
Academic/Technical Center
3925 Sunset Dr.
Jackson 39213-5899
(601) 366-1405

Jackson
Nursing/Allied Health Center
1750 Chadwick Dr.
Jackson 39204-3490
(601) 372-6507

Rankin County
3805 Hwy. 80 E.
Pearl 39208-4295
(601) 932-5237

Utica
Hwy. 18 W.
Utica 39175
(601) 354-2327

Vicksburg-Warren County
755 Hwy. 27
Vicksburg 39180-8699
(601) 638-0600

Board Members

Rickey Clopton ** . . . . . .Copiah County Superintendent of Education
D.G. Fountain, Jr.* . . . . . .Hinds County, Dist. 4
Josephine Hosey*** . . . . . .Claiborne County
Jobie Martin* . . . . . .Hinds County, Dist. 2
Paul Breazeale . . . . . .Hinds County, Dist. 1
James Price . . . . . .Warren County Superintendent of Education
Robert Picket*** . . . . . .Warren County
Talmadge Portis, Jr.**** . . . . . .Hinds County
Lelia Rhodes* . . . . . .Hinds County, Dist. 5
Ginger Smith* . . . . . .Hinds County, Dist. 3
Dale Sullivan*** . . . . . .Copiah County
Lynn Weathersby . . . . . .Rankin County Superintendent of Education
Annie Kilcrease . . . . . .Claiborne County Superintendent of Education
William Dodson*** . . . . . .Rankin County
Phyfa Eiland* . . . . . .Hinds County Superintendent of Education

**Hinds County Board members are appointed for five-year terms by Board of Supervisors*

***Term concurrent with County Superintendent of Education*

****Appointed by Board of Supervisors; serves at Board's pleasure*

*****Appointed at large by the Board of Trustees*

Managerial Staff

George Barnes . . . . . .Vice President for Utica Campus and Vicksburg/Warren County Branch and Administrative and Student Services
Adam Jenkins . . . . . .Vice President for Business Services
Jimmy Smith . . . . . .Vice President for Rankin Campus, Jackson Campus-Academic/Technical Center and Director of Occupational Programs
Dan Hogan . . . . . .Vice President for Raymond Campus, Jackson Campus-Nursing /Allied Health Center and Director of College Parallel Programs
Jackie Grandberry . . . . . .Vice President for Institutional Advancement
Bob Mullins . . . . . .Vice President for Economic Development and Outreach

HOLMES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

P.O. Box 369
Goodman 39079
(662) 472-9013/ (f) (662) 472-9059
E-mail: gboyce@holmescc.edu
Website: www.holmes.cc.ms.us
Executive officer: Dr. Glenn Boyce, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations

Grenada
1060 Avent Dr.
Grenada 38901
(662) 226-0830

Ridgeland
412 W. Ridgeland Ave.
Ridgeland 39157
(601) 856-5400

Board Members

D.P. McGowan . . . . . Yazoo
James M. Alford . . . . . .Carroll
Billy Joe Ferguson . . . . . .Carroll
Dr. Walter Roberts . . . . . Holmes
Stephen Bailey . . . . . Holmes
Dr. Martha Davis . . . . . .Holmes
Dr. Fletcher Shrock . . . . . Holmes
Harold Hammett, Jr. . . . . Holmes
Nolan O'Reilley . . . . . .Holmes
Dewitte Belk . . . . . Attala
Curtis Burrell . . . . . Attala
Harvey Black . . . . . Choctaw
Arlene Amos . . . . . Choctaw
Verble Alexander . . . . . .Grenada
Margaret Davis . . . . . Grenada
Michael Kent . . . . . .Madison
Sammie McCaskill . . . . . .Montgomery
Loyal Blackwood . . . . . .Madison
Walter Alford . . . . . Montgomery
Jimmy Pittman . . . . . Webster
Hugh Gibson . . . . . Webster
John "Buddy" Smith . . . . . Yazoo

Managerial Staff

Joe A. Adams . . . . . Vice President, Ridgeland Campus
Jack Holmes . . Vice President, Grenada Center
Dr. Fran Cox . . . . . Vice President for Academic Programs
Dr. Glenn Boyce . . . . . .Vice President for Community and Workforce Development
Dr. Lindy McCain . . . . . .Vice President of Research and Development
Roxanne Chisolm . . . . .Director of Purchasing
Steve Caldwell . . . . Executive Vice President/ Business Manager
Terry Fancher . . . . . Director of Housing
Darryl Nash . . . . . District Director of Financial Aid
Steve Diffy . . . . . District Director of Public Information
Andy Wood . . . . . .Dean of Students
Dr. Lynn Wright . . . . . .Vice President of Admissions and Records
Joye Jones . . . . . Director of Evening/ Weekend Programs, Ridgeland Campus
Sherrie Cheek . . . Career/Technical Education Director, Goodman Campus
Wayne Watkins . . Career/Technical Education Director, Ridgeland Campus
Liz Wilson . . . . . Assistant Career/Technical Director, Grenada Center
Joyce C. Vaughn . . . . . .Director of Associate Degree Nursing
Adrienne Wamble . . . . . .Director of Workforce Development

ITAWAMBA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

602 West Hill St.
Fulton 38843
(662) 862-8001/ (f) (662) 862-8005
E-mail: dccole@iccms.edu
Website: www.iccms.edu
Executive officer: Dr. David Cole
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Location

Tupelo
2176 S. Eason Blvd.
Tupelo, 38804
(662) 620-5000

Board Members

Kathy Davis . . . . . Chickasaw
Alford Bell . . . . . Chickasaw
Dr. Jerome Smith . . . . . .Chickasaw
Earl Carter . . . . . Chickasaw
Charles M. Carson . . . . . .Chickasaw
James E. Gordon . . . . . .Chickasaw
F.G. Wiygul, Jr. . . . . .Itawamba
Eunice Mayhall . . . . . Itawamba
Mark Tigner . . . . . Itawamba

John Q. Lesley . . . . . Itawamba
Charles A. Spencer . . . . . Itawamba
Billy W. Todd . . . . . Itawamba
Johnny Green . . . . . Lee
Dan Lee Bishop . . . . . Lee
Prentiss Turner . . . . . .Lee
Ted Gordon . . . . . Lee
William Shack . . . . . Lee
Mayor Brandon Presley . . . . . Lee
Jimmy Dahlem . . . . . Monroe
Marilyn Sumerford . . . . . .Monroe
Don A. Baker . . . . . Monroe
Jeanette Atkins . . . . . .Monroe
Eden Martin . . . . . Monroe
Mac Allen Thomas . . . . . .Monroe
John Simmons . . . . . Pontotoc
Lee Hatcher . . . . . Pontotoc
Mitchell Turner . . . . . .Pontotoc
Gerald Ray Bell . . . . . .Pontotoc
Danny Park . . . . . Pontotoc
James H. Turner . . . . . .Pontotoc

Managerial Staff

Jan R. Bunch . . . Dean of Academic Instruction
Mike Eaton . . . . . Vice President of Student Services
Jerry Senter . . . . . Vice President of Business Services
James W. Sullivan . . . . . .Vice President of Development and Planning
William H. Bunch . . . . . .Director of Institutional Advancement
Dr. Sara Johnson . . . . . .Vice President of Instructional Affairs
James Williams . . . . . Vice President of Economic and Community Service
Dr. Ron Philips . . . . . .Dean of Career and Technical Instruction
Dr. Ellene McCrimon . . . . . Dean of Distance Learning Instruction

JONES COUNTY JUNIOR COLLEGE

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Ellisville 39437
(601) 477-4100/ (f) (601) 477-4199
E-mail: ronald.whitehead@jcjc.edu
Website: www.jcjc.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Ronald Whitehead, President*
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Board Members

Charles Ray Ashley . . . . . Jones
William C. Boone . . . . . .Clarke
Roy Boutwell . . . . . Jones
Lynn Buckhaults . . . . . .Jones
Dr. Scott Dearman . . . . . .Perry
Winston Duckworth . . . . . .Covington
Mike Evans . . . . . Wayne
Richard Fleming . . . . . .Greene
David Garner . . . . . Smith
Carolyn Harper . . . . . Jones
David Huff . . . . . Greene
Mike McClellan . . . . . Jasper
Haskins Montgomery . . . . . Jasper
Thomas Prine . . . . . Jones
Dan Ready . . . . . .Perry
Ike Sanford . . . . . Covington
Carolyn Smith . . . . . Clarke
R.P. Staten . . . . . Wayne
Bruce Strickland . . . . . .Jones
Warren Woodrow . . . . . Smith

Managerial Staff

Jesse Smith . . . . . Dean of the College
James Kelly . . . . . Academic Dean
Dan Jones . . . . . .Dean of Student Services
Rick Youngblood . . . .Dean of Business Affairs
John Carter . . . . . Director of Administrative Services and Learning Resources

** Retiring effective June 30, 2006.*

MERIDIAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

910 Hwy. 19 N.
Meridian 39307
(601) 484-8619/(f) (601) 481-1305
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Website: www.mcc.cc.ms.us
Executive officer: Dr. Scott Elliott, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Board Members

Tommy Dulandy .....Meridian, 01/2003
Alex Weddington .....Meridian, 01/2007
Ronnye Purvis .....Meridian, 01/2005
C.D. Smith .....Meridian, 01/2006
Ralph Young, Jr. .....Meridian, 01/2004

Managerial Staff

Kathy Baxter .....Associate Vice President for Research, Development, & Governmental Affairs
Billy Beal .....Dean of Learning Resources
Shirley Nell Goodman ..Associate Vice President for Workforce Education
Tommy McDonald .....Vice President for Operations
Pam Harrison .....Vice President for Finance
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Janet Heggie ...Dean of Continuing Education
Richie McAlister .....Dean of Occupational Education

MISSISSIPPI DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

P.O. Box 668
Moorhead 38761
(662) 246-6301/(f) (662) 246-6270
E-mail: lbailey@msdelta.edu
Website: www.msdelta.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Larry Bailey, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Board Members

Mildred Chance .....Indianola, 07/2008
Fletcher T. Clark, Jr. .....Ruleville, 07/2007
Frank Dantone .....Greenville, 03/2007
Thomas Edwards ...Indianola Superintendent
Louis E. Fancher .....Greenwood, 05/2007
John W. Garrard .....Belzoni, 10/2005
Herbert Hargett .....Ruleville, 07/2006
Paula Sykes .....Indianola, 07/2009
Peter Jackson .....Rolling Fork, 02/2008
Dunbar W. Lee .....Mayersville, 07/2006
Joyce B. McNair .....Belzoni superintendent
Delia Nuckolls .....Rolling Fork, 07/2006
Cedell Pulley ....Greenwood Superintendent
Martha Sibley .....Inverness, 06/2010
I.F. Stevens .....Boyle, 01/2007
Katherine Tankson ....Rolling Fork, 02/2008
Julia D. Thomas .....Greenville, 03/2007
Mickey Thompson .....Cleveland, 08/2010

Managerial Staff

Don Garnett .....Vice President of Business Services
Magdalene Abraham .....Vice President of Instruction
Ed Rice .....Vice President of Student Services
Perry Jenkins .....Dean of Career and Workforce Education
Bethe Williams .....Vice President of College Relations & Development
Peggy Sledge .....Vice President of Enrollment Services
Lynda Steele .....Vice President of Administrative Services
Mary Ann Sandidge .....Assistant Dean
Marsha Lee .....Associate Vice President of Business

MISSISSIPPI GULF COAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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Perkinston 39573
(601) 928-5211/(f) (601) 928-6386
E-mail: hal.higdon@mgccc.edu
Website: www.mgccc.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Willis H. Lott, President
Selection of executive officers: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Clyde Strickland . . . . . .Chairperson
Delores Sumrall . . . . . .First Vice Chairperson
Jimmy Estes . . . . . .Second Vice Chairperson
Arlie Howell . . . . . .Secretary
Thomas E. Hall . . . . . .Treasurer

Branch Locations

Jackson County
P.O. Box 100
Gautier 39553
(228) 497-9602

Jefferson Davis
2226 Switzer Rd.
Gulfport 39507
(228) 896-3355

Perkinston Campus
P.O. Box 548
Perkinston 39573
(601) 928-5211

Community Campus
Applied Technology and Development Center
10298 Express Dr.
Gulfport 39503
(228) 897-4360

Branches

Keesler Center
P.O. Box 5008
Keesler AFB 39534

George County Center
P.O. Box 77
Lucedale 39452
(601) 947-4201

West Harrison County Center
21500 B St.
Long Beach 39560
(228) 868-6057

Board Members

Michael Andrews . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2010
Geraldine Barnes . . . . . .Pascagoula, 12/2008
Patricia Descher . . . . . .Ocean Springs, 12/2006
Jimmy Estes . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2006
Jay Fletcher . . . . . .Pascagoula, 12/2004
Mary Ann Goff . . . . . .Lucedale, 12/2007
Frank Gruich . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2008
Thomas E. Hall . . . . . .Wiggins, 12/2006
Arlie Howell . . . . . .Lucedale, 12/2006
Susan D. Hunt . . . . . .Biloxi, 12/2007
Moreno Jones . . . . . .Gautier, 06/2007
Sam LaRosa, Jr. . . . . .Biloxi, 12/2006
Donald Massengale, Jr. . . .Pascagoula, 06/2009
Jean Peden . . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2003
Harry Roberts, Jr. . . . . .Pascagoula, 06/2009
Bobby Spayde . . . . . .Long Beach, 12/2009
Clyde Strickland . . . . . .Perkinston, 12/2009
L.D. Stringfellow . . . . . .Wiggins, 12/2007
Delores Sumrall . . . . . .Ocean Springs, 12/2005
Joe Truhett . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2009
Wilbur G. Ward . . . . . .Lucedale, 12/2007
Robert Watters, Jr. . . . . .Gulfport, 12/2005
James Whittington . . . . . .Lucedale, 12/2008

Managerial Staff

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Hal L. Higdon . . . . . .Vice President for Administration
Cheryl Thompson-Stacy . . . . . .Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs
Colleen Hartfield . . . . . .Vice President, Institutional Relations
Jerry Bryan . . . . . .Comptroller

Jere Hess .....Associate Vice President for Development
Rick Christmas .....Vice President, Jackson County Campus
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Mary Graham .....Vice President, Perkinston Campus
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NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

101 Cunningham Blvd.
Booneville 38829
(662) 728-7751/(f) (662) 720-7321
E-mail: macoats@nemcc.edu
Website: nemcc.edu
Executive officer: Johnny L. Allen, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Board Members
William E. Breedlove .....Booneville, 03/2006
Kenneth Chism* .....Booneville, 12/2007
John Cunningham .....Baldwyn, 03/2010
Joe M. Davis .....New Albany, 02/2008
Troy Holliday .....Ripley, 12/2009
Douglas Jackson .....Walnut, 12/2006
Tracie Langston .....Booneville, 03/2009
Larry McCollum, Chairman .Corinth, 02/2006
Sam McCoy .....Booneville, 03/2008
John Moore .....Belmont, 12/2006
Jack Ramsey .....Iuka, 12/2008
Luzene Triplett .....Booneville, 12/2006
Mike Wamsley* .....Corinth, 12/2007
John Weeden* .....New Albany, 12/2007
Vance Witt** .....New Albany, 03/2006

*Elected – 4-year term **
Member at Large **

Managerial Staff
Nadara Cole .....Vice President, Workforce Training & Economic Development
Donnie Sweeney .....Vice President of Instruction and Student Services
Cheryl Ragan .....Vice President of Finance and Operations
Patrick Eaton .....Executive Director of the Foundation

NORTHWEST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

4975 Hwy. 51 N.
Senatobia 38668
(662) 562-3227/(f) (662) 562-3921
E-mail: glspears@northwestms.edu
Website: glspears@northwestms.edu
Executive officer: Dr. Gary Lee Spears, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations
DeSoto Center-Southaven
5197 W.E. Ross Pkwy.
Southaven 38671
(662) 342-1570

DeSoto Center-Olive Branch
8750 Deerfield Dr.
Olive Branch
(662) 895-7600

Lafayette-Yalobusha Technical Center
1310 Belk Dr.
Oxford 38655
(662) 236-2023

Board Members
Sam Allison .....Sarah, 2008
Johnny Bland .....Marks, 2007
Aaron Burney .....Coffeeville, 2006
John G. Burt .....Calhoun City, 2005

Bill Dawson . . . . . .Byhalia, 2008
Mike Foster . . . . . .Oxford, 2008
Jerry Gentry . . . . . .Tunica, 2008
Diana Grist . . . . . .Hickory Flat, 2009
Beth Hardin . . . . . .Pittsboro, 2008
David Hargett . . . . . .Charleston, 2008
C.E. Henry . . . . . .Oxford, 2009
William Hickey . . . . . .Charleston, 2009
Jamie Howell . . . . . .Batesville, 2009
Milton Kuykendall . . . . . .Hernando, 2008
Mary Alice Moorman . . . . . .Water Valley, 2006
Bobby Papasan . . . . . .Tunica, 2009
Don Randolph . . . . . .Holly Springs, 2008
M. Clarence Sparks, Jr. . . . . .Walls, 2009
Valmadge Towner . . . . . .Marks, 2008
Gary Walker . . . . . .Senatobia, 2008
Dorothy Kerney-Wilbourn . . . . . .Como, 2009
Ronny Wilkerson . . . . . .Ashland, 2008

Managerial Staff

Gary Mosley . .Vice President for Fiscal Affairs
Joe Broadway . . . . . .Executive Assistant to President and Career-Technical District Dean

Keith Godbold . . . . . .Vice President for Educational Affairs
Richie Lawson . . . .Dean of the DeSoto Center
Jack Butts . . . . . .Dean of the Lafayette-Yalobusha Technical Center
Nancy Patterson . . . . . .Director of Public Relations

PEARL RIVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE

101 Hwy. 11 N.
Poplarville 39470
(601) 403-1000/(f) (601) 403-1129
E-mail: wlewis@prcc.edu
Website: www.prcc.edu
Executive officer: William A. Lewis, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 337-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Branch Locations

Hattiesburg
5448 Hwy. 49 S.
Hattiesburg 39401
(601) 554-5555

Waveland
454 Hwy. 90, Ste. D
Waveland 39576
(228) 467-3892

Board Members

Kay Clay . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 12/2007
Herbert Ray Nobles . . . . . .Petal, 12/2008
David Kopf . . . . . .Kiln, 12/2007
Frank Ladner . . . . . .Bay St. Louis, 12/2006
Wayne Fortenberry . . . . . .Prentiss, 12/2007
Charles Speed . . . . . .Prentiss, 12/2008
Glenn Swan . . . . . .Purvis, 12/2007
Bruce Hankins . . . . . .Purvis, 12/2005
Craig Robbins . . . . . .Columbia, 12/2007
Al Brooks . . . . . .Columbia, 12/2007
Dennis E. Penton . . . . . .Carriere, 12/2007
M.L. Knight . . . . . .Poplarville, 12/2009
Gregory H. Mitchell . . . . . .Picayune, 12/2008
Gale Harris . . . . . .Poplarville, 12/2008
Richard Dossett . . . . . .Picayune, 12/2005
Max Huey Picayune,12/2006

Managerial Staff

John Grant . . . . .Vice President for Instruction
Don Welsh . . . . . .Dean of Career-Technical Education
Cecil Burt . . . . .Dean of Forrest County Center
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Roger Knight . . . . . .Dean of Business Services
Chuck Abadie . . . .Director of Public Relations
Scott Alsobrooks . . . . . .Director of Workforce Education
Gaynell Roberts . . . . . .Coordinator of Hancock Operations
Marilyn Dillard . . . . .Administrative Assistant

SOUTHWEST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE
1156 College Dr.
Summit 39666
(601) 276-2000/(f) (601) 276-3888
E-mail: owy@smcc.edu
Website: www.smcc.edu
Executive officer: Oliver W. Young, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-4-1 and 37-29-1 et seq. (1972)

Board Members

Hollis Alford .....Magnolia
Wayne Busby .....Summit
Jerry Conerly .....Tylertown
David Crawford .....Woodville
Greg Ellzey .....Tylertown
Maggie Griffin .....Magnolia
Reggie Jones .....Liberty
Charles Kirkfield .....Gillsburg
Jimmy Lowery .....Tylertown
Mildred McGhee .....Woodville
Amelia Nash .....McComb
James Quin .....Summit
Rebecca Robertson .....Meadville
Jewel Rushing .....McComb
Bill Sharp .....Smithdale
Beachman Williams .....Gloster
Dalton Williams, Jr. .....Osyka

Managerial Staff

Alicia Shows .....Dean of Instruction
Steve Bishop .....Dean of Students
Grady Smith .....Dean of Business Affairs
Matthew Calhoun .....Registrar and Dean of Admissions
Ken Morris .....Dean of Career and Technical Education
Jerry Malone .....Director, Workforce Development Center

Institutions of Higher Learning

The Board of Trustees of the State Institutions of Higher Learning provides management and control of Mississippi's system of eight universities. Created in 1943 by a Constitutional amendment (Mississippi Constitution of 1890, Article 9, § 213-A), the Board consists of 12 members. An amendment to this section of the constitution was passed in 2003. It requires, after January 1, 2004, that board members be appointed from each of the three Mississippi Supreme Court Districts until there are four members from each district on the board. The terms of office for the board members are reduced from twelve years to nine years. The terms are staggered so that all members appointed after 2012 will have terms of nine years.

The position of Commissioner of Higher Education was created by the Legislature in 1988 to replace the former Executive Secretary and Director of the Board position. The Commissioner is responsible for the day-to-day functions of the Board. The Commissioner serves as the Board's chief executive and administers its policies and decisions. In addition, the Commissioner directs a professional staff with expertise in academic programs fiscal matters, communications, technology, research and planning, student financial aid, and physical facilities.

By statute the Board holds two regular slated meetings annually, one in June and the other in January, and as many special meetings as may be necessary on call of the president or on call of five members. The Board distributes a calendar of Board meetings, which has a meeting scheduled each month except December, when the Board is subject to call.

The Board oversees degree-credit courses, research and public service activities and programs at the eight public universities, the

University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Center, Mississippi Agricultural, Forestry and Veterinary Medicine, ten degree granting off-campus instructional programs and various other locations throughout the state. Available programs range from a variety of undergraduate disciplines to most professional fields. All eight universities offer master's level programs; six have programs at the education specialist level and five offer doctoral-level programs.

In the fall term of 2004 the eight universities and the University of Mississippi Medical center showed 69,323 students pursuing academic degree credit in the system. Of these 55,201 were undergraduate students and 14,122 were graduate students. Residents dominate enrollment with 55,508 students originating from Mississippi and 13,815 students from out-of-state. Approximately 80 percent of all Mississippi college students receive some form of financial aid. More than 50 percent of the students attending Mississippi colleges and universities receive some form of state funded financial assistance. With the support of the Legislature and Governor, funding for Mississippi student financial aid programs showed an increase of more than $1.3 million (4 percent) from FY 2001 to FY 2004.

The Board oversees an annual budget of more than $2.3 billion. Additionally, the Board has jurisdiction over the institutions' physical plants and lands valued at approximately $2.3 billion.

Mississippi's eight universities and their main campus locations are:

Alcorn State University . . . . . .Lorman
Delta State University . . . . . .Cleveland
Jackson State University . . . . . .Jackson
Mississippi State University . .Mississippi State
Mississippi University for Women . . .Columbus
Mississippi Valley State University . . .Itta Bena
The University of Mississippi . . . .University
University of Southern Mississippi . .Hattiesburg

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING

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Website: www.ihl.state.ms.us
Executive Officer: Richard A. Crofts, Commissioner
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss Code Ann. § 37-101-1 (1972); Mississippi Constitution of 1890, Article 8, § 213-A, as amended

Consists of 12 trustees appointed by the Governor.

Trustees

H. Ed Blakeslee . . . . . .Gulfport, 05/2015
Thomas W. Colbert . . . . . .Brandon, 05/2008
L. Stacy Davidson, Jr . . . . .Cleveland, 05/2012
Roy Klumb . . . . . .Gulfport, 05/2008
D.E. Magee, Jr. . . . . .Jackson, 05/2008
Bettye H. Neely . . . . . .Grenada, 05/2012
Virginia Shanteau Newton . .Gulfport, 05/2008
Bob Owens . . . . . .Terry, 05/2015
Aubrey B. Patterson . . . . . .Tupelo, 05/2015
Robin J. Robinson . . . . . .Laurel, 05/2015
Scott Ross . . . . . .West Point, 05/2012
Amy Whitten . . . . . .Oxford, 05/2012

Managerial Staff

Frank Alley . . . . . .Assistant Commissioner of Construction & Physical Affairs
Brent Ballard . . . . . .Director of Internal Audit
Linda McFall . . . . . .Assistant Commissioner of Finance & Administration
Phil Pepper . . . . . .Assistant Commissioner of Research & Planning
Suzanne Sharpe . . . . . .Chief of Staff
William Smith . . . . . .Interim Assistant Commissioner of Academic & Student Affairs

Duties and responsibilities. The Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning is responsible for the management and control of the universities and units that comprise the IHL system. The Board also is responsible for demonstrating accountability to the people of Mississippi and effectively communicating the accomplishments, need, and value of the system of universities to the public. By strengthening and maintaining a viable comprehensive planning, management, and evaluation process, the Board and the IHL system facilitate effective decision making, resource allocation and utilization, fiscal accountability, and program review and evaluation.

Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning Institutional Executive Officers

ALCORN STATE UNIVERSITY

1000 ASU Dr., #359
Alcorn State 39096
(601) 877-6111/(f) (601) 877-2975
Website: www.alcorn.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Clinton Bristow, Jr., President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-121-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Vacant at time of printing . . . . . .Executive Vice President
Napoleon Moses . . . . . .Vice President for Academic Affairs
Laplose Jackson . . . . . .Vice President for Student Affairs
Franklin Jackson . . . . . .Vice President for Institutional Advancement, Planning, & Research

DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Kent Wyatt Hall, Rm. 257
P.O. Box A-1
Cleveland 38733
(662) 846-4000/(f) (662) 846-4014
Website: www.deltastate.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. John Hilpert, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-123-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Lynn House . . . . .Dean, College of Education
Brad Teague . . . . . .Director of Athletics
John Thornell . . . . . .Vice President for Academic Affairs
Collier Parker . . . . . .Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Billy Morehead . . . . .Vice President for Finance
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Keith Fulcher . . . . . .Executive Director Alumni Foundation
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1400 J.R. Lynch St.
Jackson 39217
(601) 979-2323/(f) (601) 979-2948
Website: www.jsums.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Ronald Mason, Jr., President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-125-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Evola Bates . . . . . .Chief of Staff
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Wayne Goodwin . . . . . .Director of Facilities Management
Lester Pouciau . . .Director of Human Resources
Vinson Ballard . . . . . .ADA Coordinator
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Velvelyn B. Foster . . .Interim Vice President for Academic Affairs and Student Life
Felix Okojie . . . . . .Vice President for Research Development Support and Federal Relations
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Lillian F. Taylor . . . . . .Vice President for Business and Finance

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P.O. Box 6018
Mississippi State 39762
(662) 325-3221/(f) (662) 325-3189
Website: www.msstate.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. J. Charles Lee, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-113-3 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Peter Rabideau .Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Vance Watson . .Vice President for Agriculture, Forestry, and Veterinary Medicine
Dennis Prescott . . . . . .Vice President for External Affairs
C. Ray Hayes . .Vice President for Finance and Administration
Colin Scanes . . . . . .Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies
William Kibler . . . . . .Vice President for Student Affairs

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY EXPERIMENT STATION

201M Bost Center
P.O. Box 9800
Mississippi State 39762
(662) 325-3005/(f) (662) 325-3001
Executive Officer: Dr. Vance Watson, Vice President for Agriculture, Forestry and Veterinary Medicine
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-113-17 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Natalie Ray . . . . . .Administrative Assistant
Lisa Paden . . . . . .Administrative Assistant
Barbara Carver . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

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P.O. Box 9601
Mississippi State 39762
(662) 325-3036/(f) (662) 325-8407
Executive Officer: Vance Watson, Interim Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-113-19 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Virgil Culver . . . . . .Interim Assistant Director/State Program Leader, Enterprise and Community Resource Development
Will McCarty . .Assistant Director/State Program Leader, Agriculture & Natural Resources
Susan Holder . . . . . .State Program Leader, 4-H Youth Development
Beverly Howell . . . . . .State Program Leader, Family & Consumer Sciences
Julie Reeves . . . . . .Extension Fiscal Officer

MSU FOREST AND WILDLIFE RESEARCH CENTER

P.O. Box 9680
Mississippi State 39762-9680
(662) 325-2952/(f) (662) 325-8726
Executive Officer: George M. Hopper, Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 57-18-5

Managerial Staff

Beverly Smith .....Administrative Assistant
Cynthia Hemphill ..Financial/Budget Manager

MSU STATE CHEMICAL LABORATORY HAND CHEMICAL LABORATORY

P.O. Box CR
Mississippi State 39762
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E-mail: kevin@mscl.msstate.edu
Website: www.mscl.msstate.edu
Executive Officer: Kevin L. Armbrust, State Chemist
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 57-21-3 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Paul J. Brignac, Jr. ....Associate State Chemist
Fay Y. Hutto .....Director, Petroleum Products Division
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Vacant at time of printing .....Director, Research Division
Patty Reeves ....Director, Regulatory Division

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Columbus 39701-5801
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Website: www.muw.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Claudia A. Limbert, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-117-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Perry Sansing .....Assistant to the President
Nora Miller .....Vice President for Finance & Administration
Scott Rawles .....Vice President for Institutional Advancement
Samuel Gingerich .....Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs
Homer Wesley .....Vice President for Student Services
Cay Lollar .....Registrar
Tonya Moak .....Comptroller
Anika Perkins .....Director of Public Affairs
Patsy McDaniel ..Director of Alumni Relations
Stephanie Brady .....Director of Admissions

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

14000 Hwy. 82 W.
P.O. Box 7272
Itta Bena 38941-1400
(662) 254-3425 or 254-3426/(f) (662) 254-6709
Website: www.mvsu.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Lester Newman, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-127-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Cassie Osborne, Jr. .....Provost
Ray C. Hudson .....Vice President University Relations / Senior Advisor to the President
F. Perma Carter ..Vice President Student Affairs

Andre L. Curry .....Vice President Fiscal and Administrative Affairs
Mosses Newsome ....Vice President Research, Planning , Community & Economic Development
Leona Hardy, Jr. .....Director of Athletics
Elizabeth Ervin .....Title III Assistant
Cynthia Cook ...Administrative Assistant KK

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

123 Lyceum
P.O. Box 1848
University 38677
(662) 915-7111/(f) (662) 915-5935
Website: www.olemiss.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Robert C. Khayat, Chancellor
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-115-1

Managerial Staff

Andy Mullins .....Executive Assistant to the Chancellor
Sue Keiser .....Assistant to the Chancellor
Carolyn Ellis Staton .....Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Gloria Kellum .....Vice Chancellor for University Relations
Johnny Williams .....Vice Chancellor for Administration and Finance, and Comptroller
Thomas Wallace .....Vice Chancellor for Student Life
Alice Clark .....Vice Chancellor for Research

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL CENTER

2500 N. State St.
Jackson 39216
(601) 984-1010/(f) (601) 984-1013
Executive Officer: Dr. Daniel Jones, Vice-Chancellor for Health Affairs
Website: www.umc.edu
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-115-25 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Daniel W. Jones .....Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs and Chief Executive Officer
John E. Moffitt ...Associate Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs and Chief Operation Officer
James E. Keeton ..Associate Vice Chancellor for Clinic Affairs
David Powe .....Associate Vice Chancellor for Administrative Affairs and Chief Administrative Officer
J. Michael Lightsey ...Associate Vice Chancellor for Financial Affairs and Chief Financial Officer
Helen Turner ....Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Chief Academic Officer

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI

P.O. Box 5001
Hattiesburg 39406
(601) 266-5001/(f) (601) 266-5756
Website: www.usm.edu
Executive Officer: Dr. Shelby F. Thames, President
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-119-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Darrell Jay Grimes .....Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Greg Lassen .....Vice President for Business and Finance
Joe S. Paul ...Vice President for Student Affairs
Cecil D. Burge ....Vice President for Research

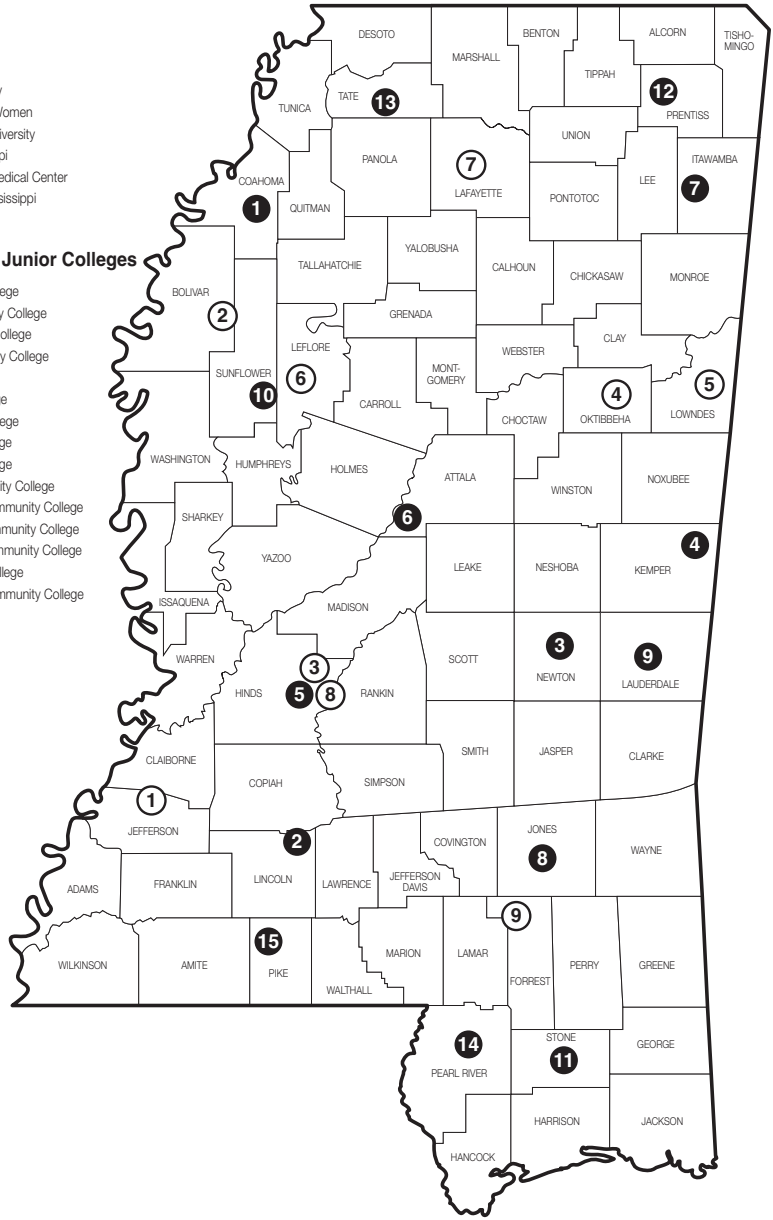
Community and Junior Colleges and Universities in Mississippi

Universities

1. - Alcorn State University
2. - Delta State University
3. - Jackson State University
4. - Mississippi State University
5. - Mississippi University for Women
6. - Mississippi Valley State University
7. - The University of Mississippi
8. - University of Mississippi Medical Center
9. - University of Southern Mississippi

Community and Junior Colleges

1. - Coahoma Community College
2. - Copiah-Lincoln Community College
3. - East Central Community College
4. - East Mississippi Community College
5. - Hinds Community College
6. - Holmes Community College
7. - Itawamba Community College
8. - Jones County Junior College
9. - Meridian Community College
10. - Mississippi Delta Community College
11. - Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College
12. - Northeast Mississippi Community College
13. - Northwest Mississippi Community College
14. - Pearl River Community College
15. - Southwest Mississippi Community College



Government

BOND COMMISSION

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Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 31-17-1 and 31-17-3 (1972)

The three members of the Commission are the Governor, the Attorney General, and the State Treasurer, serving terms concurrent with their elected offices, as designated by statute.

Commission Members

Governor Haley Barbour . . . . . .ex officio
Attorney General Jim Hood . . . . . .ex officio
State Treasurer Tate Reeves . . . . . .ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. To approve and authorize the sale and issuance of bonds in a timely manner pursuant to statutory authority and provision.

COMMISSION ON UNIFORM STATE LAWS

National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws
P.O. Box 1018
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Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 7-1-501 through 7-1-505 (1972)

Three members appointed by the Governor: member of the Senate appointed by the Lieutenant Governor; a member of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House, and others as statutorily designated; all serving must be members of the Mississippi Bar Association.

Commission Members

Representative Edward Blackmon . . . . .Canton
Senator Charlie Ross . . . . . .Brandon
Neely Carlton . . . . . .Brandon
Selby (Sai) A. Ireland . . . . . .Jackson
Bob Davidson . .Senate Legislative Services Office
Teresa Beck . .House Legislative Services Office
Bill Hooper . . . . . .Law Research Institute

Associate Members

Jimbo Richardson . . . . . .House of Representatives Staff
Bubba Neely . . . . . .Senate Staff

Duties and responsibilities. To promote uniformity in stat law on all subjects where beneficial and practicable. Since the commission's inception Mississippi has adopted many uniform acts promulgated by the national conference.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

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Website: www.dfa.state.ms.us
Executive officer: J.K. Stringer
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 27-104-101 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Kevin Upchurch . . .Deputy Executive Director
Rita Wray . . . . . .Deputy Executive Director
Col. J.K. Stringer, Jr. . . . . .Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. To oversee the State's fiscal affairs and the implementation and control of the State's budget as promulgated by the Legislature through appropriation. In addition, the Department administers the state life and health insurance program, tort claims, crime victim compensation, the

unemployment compensation revolving fund, the bond advisory function, and the State's accounting and pre-audit functions. Ongoing activities also include the Worker's Compensation Insurance Programs for state agencies. The Department affects the powers and duties formerly granted by law to the Office of General Services, including all services of the Bureau of Building, Grounds and Real Property Management; Bureau of Capitol Facilities; Bureau of Purchasing; and the Bureau of Surplus Property. The Department of Finance and Administration assigns space in state-owned buildings and collects rent monies, recommends police protection for property to the various state agencies, determines repair and renovation needs of state properties, and directs contracts for these repairs. Additionally, the Department contracts and equips all buildings required by the State and sells, conveys, or purchases state lands within oversight by the Public Procurement Review Board.

MISSISSIPPI GUARANTY POOL BOARD

State Treasury Department
P.O. Box 138
(601) 359-3600/(f) (601) 359-2001
E-mail: ljackson@treasury.state.ms.us
Website: www.treasury.state.ms.us
Executive officer: State Treasurer Tate Reeves, ex officio
Selection of executive officer: Designated by statute
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 27-105-6 (1972)

Board Members

David W. Overby . . . . . .Ridgeland, 12/2006
Scott M. Wiggers . . . . . .Kosciusko, 12/2006
Zach Wasson . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Greg Ray . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2005
Odean Busby . . . . . .Magee, 12/2005
Leslie Usher . . . . . .Meridian, 12/2005
Ken Martin . . . . . .Brandon, 12/2006
Tate Reeves . . . . . .State Treasurer, ex officio
John Allison . . . . .Commission of Banking and Consumer Finance, ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. To administer the guaranty pool and to review and recommend criteria to by used by the State Treasurer in order to protect public deposits and the depositories in the program.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PERFORMANCE EVALUATION AND EXPENDITURE REVIEW (PEER)

P.O. Box 1204
Jackson 39215-1204
(601) 359-1226/(f) (601) 359-1420
E-mail: reports@peer.state.ms.us
Website: www.peer.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Max K. Arinder, Ph.D.
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Committee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 5-3-51 through 5-3-71 (1972)

Committee shall be composed seven members of the Senate appointed by the Lieutenant Governor, seven members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House, serving four year terms.

Committee Members

Representative Dirk Dedeaux, Chair . .Gulfport
Senator Lynn Posey, Vice Chair . .Union Church
Senator Richard White, Secretary . . . . . .Terry
Senator Merle Flowers . . . . . .Southaven
Senator Bunky Huggins . . . . . .Greenwood
Senator Sampson Jackson . . . . . .DeKalb
Senator Dean Kirby . . . . . .Pearl
Senator Ezell Lee . . . . . .Picayune
Representative Willie Bailey . . . . . .Greenville
Representative Alyce Clark . . . . . .Jackson
Representative Joey Hudson . . . . . .Monticello
Representative Harvey Moss . . . . . .Corinth
Representative Walter Robinson . . . . . .Bolton
Representative Ray Rogers . . . . . .Pearl

Managerial Staff
James A. Barber . . . . . .Deputy Director
James F. (Ted) Booth . . . . . .General Counsel
David Pray . . . . .Evaluation Division Manager
Linda Triplett . . . .Evaluation Division Manager
Larry Whiting . . .Evaluation Division Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To provide timely, reliable information to the Legislature. PEER may review the work of any state or local entity that receives public funds. State law authorizes PEER to examine a public entity's documents and records, interview personnel, and examine witnesses using subpoena power if necessary. PEER's reviews may have multiple objectives, and one of many formats, such as: Descriptive summary, investigation, compliance review, management review, economy and efficiency review, program evaluation, or policy analysis. The Committee publishes results of its reviews in reports that are distributed to the Legislature and the public. PEER also provides short-term assistance to legislative committees and individual legislators upon request and conducts background checks on appointees.

JOINT LEGISLATIVE BUDGET COMMITTEE

501 N. West St., Ste. 201B
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1580/(f) (601) 359-1629
E-mail: mwilliams@mail.lbo.state.ms.us
Website: www.ls.state.ms.us

Executive officer: Lee Lindell
Selection of executive officer: As designated by Committee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 27-103-101

Committee Members
Lieutenant Governor Amy Tuck, Chair . . .Maben
Senator Terry Burton . . . . . .Newton
Senator Hillman Frazier . . . . . .Jackson
Senator Jack Gordon, Jr. . . . . .Okolona
Senator William G. Hewes III . . . . . .Gulfport
Senator Travis Little, President
Pro Tempore . . . . . .Corinth
Senator Tommy Robertson . . . . . .Moss Point
Representative William McCoy, Speaker
of the House . . . . . .Rienzi
Representative Cecil Brown . . . . . .Jackson
Representative George Flaggs, Jr. . . .Vicksburg
Representative Steve Holland . . . .Plantersville
Representative Diane Peranich . .Pass Christian
Representative Johnny Stringer . . . . .Montrose
Representative Percy W. Watson . . .Hattiesburg

Managerial Staff
Lee Lindell . . . . . .Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. To prepare an overall balanced budge of the entire expenses and income of the State for each fiscal year, which shall encompass the operation of all general fund agencies, and all special fund agencies, and the Department of Transportation or the Division of State Aid Road Construction of the Department of Transportation.

In 1936 the State Legislature passed an amendment to balance agriculture with industry (BAWI Program). The Industrial Commission and the Advertising Commission were created to implement the program.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

P.O. Box 1018
Jackson 39215-0108
(601) 359-3200/(f) (601) 359-2934
E-mail: atuck@mail.senate.state.ms.us
Website: www.ls.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Lieutenant Governor Amy Tuck
Selection of executive officer: Elected by the voters

Managerial Staff

John Gilbert . . . . . .Secretary of the Senate
Jim Madden . .Assistant Secretary of the Senate
David Huggins . . . . . .Sergeant-At-Arms

Duties and responsibilities. To preside over the Senate, rule on points of order, assign bills to committees, nominate standing committees of the Senate, and appoint all select and conference committees as passed by the Senate. An ex officio member of the Senate Rules Committee and member of the Legislative Budget Committee. May vote only in case of a tie, may speak from the Whole, and signs all finally approved bills and resolutions. For more information about Lieutenant Governor, see pages 49-50.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECORDS COMMITTEE

Mississippi Department of Archives and History
P.O. Box 571
Jackson 39205
(601) 576-6894/(f) (601) 576-6899
E-mail: bhanna@mdah.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H.T. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: As designated by statute
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-60-1 (1972)

The committee is composed of the Attorney General or his or her designee; the Secretary of State or his or her designee; the State Auditor or his or her designee; the Chairman or the State Tax Commission or his or her designee; the Director of Archives and History and a representative from twelve selected organizations serving staggered, two-year terms, and one resident of the state appointed by the Governor serving staggered, two-year terms.

Committee Members

H.T. Holmes . . .Archives and History, 01/2010
Nancy Jordan . . . . . .Assessors/Collectors Association, Brookhaven, 09/2006
Mary Sue Shipp . . .At Large (Gov. Appointee), Benton, 11/2006
Mike Lanford . . . . . .Attorney General, Jackson, 01/2008
Paula Sykes . . . . .Chancery Clerks Association, Indianola, 09/2006
Lee Westbrook . . . . .Circuit Clerks Association, Canton, 09/2006
Linda Caston . . . . . .Clerks & Collectors Association, Crystal Springs, 10/2006
Libby Aydelott . . .Family Research Association, Clinton, 03/2006
James Randolph Sherard . . . . .Mississippi Bar, Vicksburg, 09/2006
Joy Herron . . . . .Mississippi Historical Society, Glendora, 10/2006
Kay Lang . . . . . .Municipal Association, Pearl, 10/2006
Dee Chambliss . . . . . .Secretary of State, Jackson, 10/2008
Norman McLeod . . . . . .State Auditor, Jackson, 01/2008
Connie Rockco . . . . . .Supervisors Association, Gulfport, 09/2006
Warren McKinnon . . . . . .Tax Commission, Jackson, 01/2008
Vacant at time of printing . .Sheriff's Association
Vacant at time of printing . . . . . .School Superintendents Association

Managerial Staff

Bill Hanna . . . . . .Director

Duties and responsibilities. To issue records retention guidelines for local government.

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

301 N. Lamar, Ste. 508
Jackson 39201-1495
(601) 359-1395/(f) (601) 354-6016
Executive officer: David L. Litchliter
E-mail: webmaster@its.state.ms.us
Website: www.its.state.ms.us
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-53-7 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Cecil Watkins . . . . . .Picayune, 06/2009
David Roach . . . . . .Oxford, 06/2005
Stephen A. Adamec, Jr. . . . .Vicksburg, 06/2006
Derek Gibbs . . . . . .Madison, 06/2008
John Hairston . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2007

Managerial Staff

Terry Bergin . . . . . .Director, Data Services
Roger Graves . . . . . .Director, Voice Services
Claude Johnson . . . .Director, Strategic Services
Karen Newman . . .Director, Education Services
Martha Pemberton . . . . . .Director, Information System Services
Michele Blocker . . . . . .Director, Internal Support Services

Duties and responsibilities. To assure cost effectiveness in information systems services, equipment acquisition, and use for the agencies and institutions of the State of Mississippi. This responsibility includes the acquiring of equipment and services for state agencies and institutions, and managing and operating of computer information systems and communication facilities.

MISSISSIPPI ETHICS COMMISSION

146 E. Amite St., Ste. 103
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1285/(f) (601) 354-6253
E-mail: info@ethics.state.ms.us
Website: www.ethics.state.ms.us
Executive officer: John Scott Rankin, Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-4-5 (1972)

Eight members, serving staggered, four-year terms; two appointed by the Governor, two by the Lieutenant Governor, two by the Speaker of the House, and two by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

Commission Members

Ben H. Stone . . . . . .Gulfport, 11/2005
Gary L. Carnathan . . . . . .Tupelo, 11/2005
Walter Brown . . . . . .Natchez, 11/2006
James Edward Stirgus, Sr. . .Vicksburg, 11/2006
Gene Warr . . . . . .Gulfport, 11/2007
Anjuan Brown . . . . . .Greenwood, 11/2007
Jim Ingram . . . . . .Madison, 11/2008
Bradford M. Stewart . . . . . .Starkville, 11/2008

Managerial Staff

John Scott Rankin . . . . . .Executive Director
Tom Hood . . . . . .Assistant Director
Robert King . . . . . .Chief Investigator

Duties and responsibilities. To prepare and publish a manual setting forth recommended accounting and reporting procedures for disclosure statements; to accept and file statements supplied by persons required to file financial disclosure statements and make these statements available for public inspection; to conduct investigations with respect to financial disclosure statements; to pursue equitable or legal remedies in the civil law to recover public funds or property unlawfully taken for the use and benefit of the State of Mississippi; receive

complaints concerning public officials and refer them to the designated agencies; issue advisory opinions on the standards of conduct laws and on conflict of interest determinations.

MISSISSIPPI STATE PERSONNEL BOARD

301 N. Lamar St., Ste. 100
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1406/(f) (601) 359-2729
E-mail: rbass@spb.state.ms.us
Website: www.spb.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Robert Bass
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-9-109

Five members, serving terms concurrent with the Governor, appointed by the Governor from each Supreme Court District and two at-large with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Bill Cossar, Chair .....Charleston, 06/2006
John A. Baas .....Ridgeland, 06/2008
Samuel Tom Hall .....Oxford, 06/2007
E.A. Allen .....Gulfport, 07/2009
Donald G. Brown .....Vicksburg, 06/2010

Managerial Staff

Robert Bass .....Executive Director
John Mulholland .....Deputy Director
Frederick Matthes .....Director, Classification and Compensation
James G Runnels .....Director, Management Information Systems
Beverly J. Crouther .....Director, Recruitment and Selection
Lesly Lloyd .....Director, Office of Training
Robert E. Fagan, Jr. .....Special Assistant Attorney General, General Counsel

Duties and responsibilities. To establish a system of personnel administration governing establishment of employment positions, employment conduct, and movement and separation of state employees; to build a career-service in government which will attract, select, and retain the best persons with incentives in the form of equal opportunities for initial appointment and a promotion; and to establish a system of personnel management that will ensure the effectiveness and efficient use of state employees.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

P.O. Box 139
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3100/(f) (601) 359-3741
E-mail: governor@governor.state.ms.us
Website: www.mississippi.gov
Executive officer: Governor Haley Barbour
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 116

Managerial Staff

Charlie Williams .....Chief of Staff
Ann Sisk ..Executive Assistant to the Governor
Dorothy Kuykendall .....Executive Assistant to Chief of Staff
Paul Hurst .....Chief Counsel
Joe Nosesf .....Chief Counsel
Ginny Roberts .....Executive Assistant to Chief Counsels
Buddy Bynum ...Director of Communications
Pete Smith .....Press Secretary
Bo Kabala .....Deputy Press Secretary
Steve Janzen .....Director of Personnel
Lee Jenkins .....Director of Administration
Kathryn Stewart .....Public Affairs Director
Kay Troxler .....Director of Scheduling
Jim Perry .....Director of Policy
Mary Alice Browning .....Policy Advisor
Jason S. Dean .....Policy Advisor
C. Daryl Neely .....Policy Advisor

John Rounsaville . . . . . .Policy Advisor
Nicole Stofer . . . . . .Policy Advisor
Charles Pittman . . . . . .Constituent and Legislative Services
Joey Denson . .Director of Constituent Services
Max Wells . . . . . .Constituent Services
Andrew Ketchings . . . . . .Legislative Affairs
Neely Carlton . . . . . .Legislative Affairs and Counselor
Rachael Summers-Ellis . . . .Executive Assistant
Debbie Carney . . . . . .Executive Assistant and Legislative Aide
Ryan Annison . . . . . .Aide de Camp

Duties and responsibilities. The Governor is charged with executive direction and supervision of the general administration of the State. In this capacity, the Governor sees the laws are faithfully executed, supervises the official conduct of executive officers, acts as commander-in-chief of the state militia, and appoints officials as prescribed by law.

The Governor is responsible for the presentation of a balanced budget to the Legislature, and approval or veto of legislation passed by the Legislature. The Governor may call extraordinary sessions of the Legislature when he or she deems it necessary, and may issue pardons, executive orders, and extraditions of fugitives from other states.

The office provides staff assistance and liaison in all areas of state government administration and researches agency programs and policies. For more information about the Governor, see pages 47-48.

OFFICE OF THE STATE AUDITOR

P.O. Box 956
Jackson 39205
(601) 576-2800/(f) (601) 576-2650
E-mail: auditor@osa.state.ms.us
Website: www.osa.state.ms.us
Executive officer: State Auditor Phil Bryant
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 134

Managerial Staff

Mick Bullock . . . . . .Executive Assistant to the Auditor
Rodney Zeagler . . .Director, Audit Department
Ross Campbell . . . . . Director, Property Audit Division
Shirley Crawford . . . . . Director, Average Daily Attendance Division
Bennie Nutt . .Director, Information Technology
Jeffrey M. Adcock . . . . . Director, Administrative Services
Sam Atkinson . . . . . .Director, Performance Audit Division
Rheul Dickinson . . . . . .Director, Technical Assistance Division
Jesse Bingham . . . . . .Director, Investigative Division
Bill Doss . . . . . .Director, Financial and Compliance Audit Division
Ross Aldridge . . . . . .Director, Public Relations
Melissa Patterson . . . . . .Staff Attorney

Duties and responsibilities. To audit all state agencies, county governments, school districts, community and junior colleges and universities; conduct investigations into abuse of public funds and violations of law; prescribe systems of accounting and financial reporting for local governments; conduct inventory audits of all state property and maintain the inventory of all state property; and perform the average daily attendance counts in all the state's public school's. For more information about the State Auditor, see pages 54-55.

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF MISSISSIPPI

429 Mississippi St.
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-3589/(f) (601) 359-2285
E-mail: mspersmail@pers.state.ms.us
Website: www.pers.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Vacant at time of printing
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-11-15 (1972)
Ten members, serving staggered, six-year terms as designated by statute.

Board Members

Tate Reeves . . . . . .State Treasurer, ex officio
Virgil F. Belue . . . . . .Clinton, 06/2007
Edward Lee Childress . . . . . .Corinth, 03/2010
Deborah A. Giles . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Douglas R. Hague . . . . . .Pascagoula, 12/2008
Lester Herrington . . . . . .Brandon, 04/2011
Janet G. Larsen . . . . . .Brandon, 07/2008
Edwin C. Legrand III . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2006
Richard C. Miller . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2010
Jeanne R. Walker . . . . . .Cleveland, 12/2010

The Lieutenant Governor may designate two Senators and the Speaker of the House of Representative may designate two Representatives to attend any meeting of the Board of Trustees. The Legislative designees shall have no jurisdiction or vote.

Legislative Liaison Members

Representative Johnny Stringer . . . . .Montrose
Representative Robert Vince . . . . .Sandy Hook
Senator Thomas Robertson . . . . . .Moss Point
Senator Billy Thames . . . . . .Mize

Duties and responsibilities. To administer the Public Employees' Retirement System and the Federal-State Agreement for Social Security; to approve benefit plans submitted by political subdivisions of the state; to invest surplus funds other than a cash working balance; and to administer the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol Retirement Systems, the Mississippi Municipal Retirement System, the Government Employees' Deferred Compensation Plan, the Retirees' Insurance Program, the Optional Retirement Plan for employees of the Institutions of Higher Learning and the Supplement Legislative Retirement Plan.

SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE

P.O. Box 136
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-1350/(f) (601) 359-1499
E-mail: administrator@sos.state.ms.us
Website: www.sos.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Secretary of State Eric Clark
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 133

Managerial Staff

Charles Bearman . . . . . .Chief of Staff
Karana Carroll . . . . . .Assistant Chief of Staff
Bill Thompson . . . .Assistant Secretary of State, Business Services
Jim Nelson . . . . . .Assistant Secretary of State, Business Regulation and Enforcement
Dee Chambliss . . . .Assistant Secretary of State, Education and Publications
Gerald McWhorter . . . . .Assistant Secretary of State, Public Lands
Jay Eads . . . . . .Assistant Secretary of State, Elections

Duties and responsibilities. The Secretary of State's Office is a service and information agency with six major statutory functions: administration of the Mississippi Corporation Law, the Uniform Commercial Code, the Uniform Securities Law, and the Elections Code; administration and supervision of our public lands; and issuing documents and publications of the state, including those for the executive and legislative branches. Investigating charity and

securities fraud, issuing notary commissions, registering correspondence schools, administering the state's trademark and servicemark laws, service of process, and administering the Administrative Procedures Act are also functions of the Secretary of State's Office. The Constitution designates the Secretary of State as "keeper of the capitol." For more information about the Secretary of State, see pages 50-51.

STATE BOARD OF CONTRACTORS

215 Woodline Dr., Ste. B
Jackson 39232
(601) 354-6161/(f) (601) 354-6715
E-mail: msboc@mail.msboc.state.ms.us
Website: www.msboc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Norman Brooks
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 31-3-3 (1972)

Ten members having statutorily specified qualifications, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Ralph Barnes . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Joel. A. Carroll . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2010
James N. Hunter . . . . . .Jackson, 05/2007
Tommy Kline . . . . . .Fulton, 05/2007
Don Halle . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2009
George Edwards . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2007
George Marler V. . . . . .Morton, 06/2008
Madison H. (Hamp) Smith . . .Tupelo, 06/2008
N.L. Carson . . . . . .Carthage, 06/2009
Ray A. Sims . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2007

Managerial Staff

Norman Brooks, Executive Secretary

Duties and responsibilities. To receive applications, to investigate and examine applicants for certificates of responsibility; to issue certificates of responsibility to such contractors found to be responsible to perform construction projects in the State of Mississippi involving public funds in excess of $50,000 and private funds in excess of $100,000, residential builders building homes in excess of $50,000, and residential remodelers remodeling in excess of $10,000.

STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

P.O. Box 136
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-1350/(f) (601) 359-1499
E-mail: administrator@sos.state.ms.us
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-211 (1972)

The three members of the Commission are Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Attorney General as designated by statute.

Members

Governor . . . . . .Haley Barbour
Secretary of State . . . . . .Eric Clark
Attorney General . . . . . .Jim Hood

Duties and responsibilities. The State Board of Election Commissioners has certain duties and responsibilities relating to general and special elections for statewide, state district and multi-county legislative elections. Those duties include: ruling on candidates' qualifications; approving the official sample ballot and making it available to all county election commissions in a timely manner; receiving the certified results of such elections from each county participating in the election; and certifying the official results of such elections.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE

Mississippi Department of Archives and History
P.O. Box 571
Jackson 39205
(601) 576-6810/(f) (601) 576-6899
E-mail: wcrook@mdah.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdah.state.ms.us
Executive officer: H.T. Holmes
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 25-59-7 (1972)

Members consist of the Governor, State Registrar of Vital Records, State Auditor, Secretary of State, and the Director of Archives and History, or their designated representatives.

Board Members

Sherrel Richardson . . . . .Department of Health
Jeff Adcock . . . . . .Office of the State Auditor
Dee Chambliss . . .Office of the Secretary of State
Paul Hurst . . . . . .Office of the Governor
H.T. Holmes . . . . . .Chair, Department of Archives and History

Managerial Staff

Walter Crook . . . . . .Director, State Records Management

Duties and responsibilities. To review, approve, disapprove, amend or modify records control schedules submitted by state agencies for the disposition of records.

STATE TAX COMMISSION

P.O. Box 22828
Jackson 39225
(601) 923-7400/(f) (601) 923-7423
E-mail: webmaster@mstc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mstc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Joseph Blount, Commissioner
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 27-3-1 (1972)

Three members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Joe Blount, Chairman . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2010
Terry Jordan . . . . . .Philadelphia, 06/2006
Donald Green . . . . . .Clarksdale, 06/2008

Managerial Staff

Alice G. Gorman . . . . . .Deputy Commissioner
Kathy Waterbury . .Director of Communications
Cheryl Crawford . . . .Chief Information Officer
Cindy Moses . . . . . .Director of Administrative Services
Gary Stringer . . . . . .Chief Legal Counsel
Randy Ladner . . . . . .Director of Revenue
Frank McCain . . . . . .Director of Property
Ann Richmond . . . . . .Director of Alcoholic Beverage Control
Lamar Wilson . . .Director of Human Resources

STATE TREASURY DEPARTMENT

P.O. Box 138
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3600/(f) (601) 359-2001
E-mail: mcrowley@treasury.state.ms.us
Website: www.treasury.state.ms.us
Executive officer: State Treasurer Tate Reeves
Election of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 134

Managerial Staff

Liz Welch . . . . . .Deputy Treasurer
Whit Waide . .Special Assistant to the Treasurer
Betsy McLean . . . . . .Director, Investment and Cash Management Division
Laura Jackson . . . . . .Director, Bonds and Collateral Division
Elizabeth Both . . Director, Unclaimed Property
Carol Allgood . . . . . Director, Finance and Accounting
Thomas Bounds . . . . . Director, Information Technology
Vacant at time of printing . . . . .Director, College Savings Plan

Duties and responsibilities. To receive and keep the monies of the State, in the manner provided by law, to disburse the same agreeably by law, and to take receipts or vouchers for monies which the treasury shall disburse. The State Treasurer shall keep regular, fair, and proper accounts in the books, in the name of all money, stock, securities, and all other property in the treasury, or which may at times by received by the State Treasurer, keeping the receipts and disbursements of each fiscal year in separate accounts, and closing the same with the close of the fiscal year, and shall open and keep accounts in the books for all appropriations of money made by law, so that the appropriation of money and the application thereof in conformity thereto may clearly and distinctly appear on the books of the treasury, manage unclaimed property fund. For more information about the State Treasurer, see pages 55-57.

Military

MILITARY DEPARTMENT

P.O. Box 5027
Jackson 39296-5027
(601) 313-6232/(f) (601) 313-6251
E-mail: harold.cross@ms.ngb.army.mil
Website: www.ngms.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Major General Harold A. Cross
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 33-3-3 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Brigadier General James I. Pylant . . . .Assistant Adjutant General
Colonel Mitchell L. Brown . . . . . .ARNG Chief of Staff
Colonel Alex D. Roberts . . .ANG Chief of Staff
Vacant at time of printing . .Executive Assistant
Colonel Robert F. Thomas . . . . .State Resource Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To provide command control of the Mississippi army and Air National Guard. To provide an organized, trained, equipped and ready force to respond to the orders of the Governor for State missions or as a reserve force for the U.S. Army or U.S. Air Force.

VETERANS AFFAIRS BOARD

P.O. Box 5947
Pearl 39288-5947
(601) 576-4857/(f) (601) 576-4868
E-mail: grice@vab.state.ms.us
Website: www.vab.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Adrian Grace
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 35-1-1 (1972)

Seven members serving staggered, five-year terms appointed by the Governor, one each from the 1992 Congressional Districts and two at large, with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

James Renan Richmond . . . .McComb, 05/2006
Martha Jo Leslie . . . . . .Brandon, 05/2007
Robert H. Montague . . . .Hattiesburg, 05/2007
Herman Doyle Bailey . . . . . .Merigold, 05/2009
J.M. (Flick) Ash . . . . . .Potts Camp, 05/2008
Mendal G. Kemp . . . . . .Madison, 05/2010
Wayne O. Burkes . . . . . .Brandon, 05/2010

Managerial Staff

Adrian Grice . . . . . .Deputy Director
Sheralyn Hibbler . . . . . .Fiscal Officer
John Scott . . . . . .Computer Analyst
Sandra Harmon . . . . . .Investigative Officer
Lula Johnson . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To assist former and present members of the armed forces of the United States and their dependents in securing any benefits or privileges under any state or federal law or regulation; to advise the Governor and Legislature on veterans affairs; to act as the state approving agency in the

inspection, approval and supervision of schools, institutions and establishments for war orphans and veterans training; to operate the Mississippi State Veterans Home and to promulgate rules and regulations. Additionally, the Board works with all congressionally chartered veterans organizations within the state.

VETERANS HOME PURCHASE BOARD

P.O. Box 54411
Pearl 39288
(601) 576-4800/(f) (601) 576-4812
E-mail: sknight@vhpb.state.ms.us
Website: www.vhpb.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Sterling O. Knight
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 35-7-7 (1972)

Six members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor, one form each 1987 Congressional District and one at large as designated by statute.

Board Members

Roy H. Sawyer . . . . . .Sardis, 06/2005
Jesse B. Davis . . . . . .Abbeville, 06/2006
Sam Provenza . . . . . .Greenville, 06/2006
Clifton L. Marshall . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2008
Lonnie C. Carlton . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
Sam Forbert, Jr. . . . . .Meridian, 06/2008

Managerial Staff

Tal Rhodes . . . . . .Finance Director
Larry Moore . . . . . .Division Director
Ima Jean . . . . . .Branch Director

Duties and responsibilities. To assist Mississippi veterans in securing affordable housing by providing loan funds through a state revolving fund.

Natural Resources

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

2380 Hwy. 80 E., Southport Center
Jackson 39209
(601) 961-5171/(f) (601) 354-6965
Website: www.deq.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Charles H. Chisolm
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 49-2-4 and 49-2-5 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, seven-year terms; appointed by the Governor, one from each 1978 Congressional District and two at large. Advice and consent of the Senate required.

Commission Members

Richard Bowen Flowers . . . . . .Tunica, 06/2012
William J. VanDevender . . . . .Jackson, 06/2012
Richard Carter Sr. . . . . .Rolling Fork, 06/2006
Martha Dalrymple . . . . . .Amory, 06/2008
Charlie Dunagin . . . . . .McComb, 06/2010
Jack Winstead . . . . . .Lawrence, 06/2009
Howard McKissack . . .Pass Christian, 06/2011

Managerial Staff

Michael Bograd . . . . . .Acting Director, Office of Geology
Phil Bass . .Director, Office of Pollution Control
Sam Mabry . . . . . .Director, Office of Land and Water Resources
Keith Harkins . . . . . .Director, Administrative Services
Colvis Reed . . . . .Director, Policy and Planning
Roy Furrh . . . . . .Directory, Chief Counsel

Duties and responsibilities. To formulate the policy of the department regarding natural resources within the jurisdiction of the department; to promulgate rules and regulations; to receive and expend federal or state funds; to conduct studies to determine alternative

methods of managing or using the natural resources of this state; to exercise those administrative enforcement authorities granted by law.

DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE, FISHERIES, AND PARKS

1505 Eastover Dr.
Jackson 39211
(601) 432-2400/(f) (601) 432-2024
E-mail: executive@mdfwp.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdwfp.com
Executive officer: Sam Polles
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 49-4-4 and 49-4-6 (1972)

Five members having statutory qualifications, serving five-year staggered terms, appointed by the Governor from each Congressional District with advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Noble Lee, Jr. . . . . .Forest, 06/2006
Bill Deviney . . . . . .Raymond, 06/2007
Webb Lee . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2008
John C. Stanley IV . . . . . .Corinth, 06/2009
Bryan Jones III . . . . . .Yazoo City, 06/2010

Managerial Staff

Al Tuck . . . . . .Deputy Director
Robert Cook . . . . . .Executive Officer
Don Brazil . . . . . .Director, Law Enforcement, Wildlife and Fisheries
Bill Pope . . . . . .Director, State Parks

Duties and responsibilities. To manage conserve, develop, and protect Mississippi's outdoors, state parks, wildlife and marine resources and their habitat, provide continued recreational, economical, educational, ecological, esthetic, social and scientific benefits for present and future generations.

DISTRICT BOARD OF MISSISSIPPI LEVEE COMMISSIONERS

P.O. Box 637
Greenville 38702-0637
(662) 334-4813/(f) (662) 378-9592
E-mail: ginger@msleveeboard.com
Website: www.msleveeboard.com
Executive officer: Fred A. Ballard, Jr.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 11, § 229

Commission Members

Fred Ballard . . . .Washington County, 07/2008
Roy Nichols . . . . . .Issaquena County, 07/2008
James W. House, Jr. . .Bolivar County, 07/2008
Johnny Robinson Washington County, 07/2006
Nott Wheeler, Jr. . . . . ..Bolivar County, 07/2006
M.K. Rodgers . . .Humphreys County, 07/2006
Laurance Carter . . . .Sharkey County, 07/2006

Managerial Staff

Jude Ross . . . . . .Treasurer, (662) 334-4813
Ginger Morlino . . . . . .Secretary, (662) 334-4813
Charles S. Tindall III . .Attorney, (662) 378-2121

Duties and responsibilities. To maintain and operate the Mainline Mississippi River Levee in Bolivar, Washington, Issaquena, Sharkey, and Humphreys Counties; and to maintain interior streams improved by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Big Sunflower, Little Sunflower, Steel Bayou, Bogue Phalia, Hushpuckena River, Clear Creek, Dowling Bayou, Snake Creek, Bogue Hasty). For more information on the office of Levee Commissioner, see page 410.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERMIT BOARD

Office of Pollution Control
P.O. Box 10385
Jackson 39289
(601) 961-5171/(f) (601) 354-6612
E-mail: pamela_layton@deq.state.ms.us
Website: www.deq.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Michael Bograd
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-28

Seven members, serving staggered, seven-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Michael Bograd . . . . . .Jackson
Jan Boyd . . . . . .Biloxi
Kent Ford . . . . . .Jackson
Jim Horne . . . . . .Jackson
Sam Mabry . . . . . .Jackson
Jim Lipe . . . . . .Jackson
Walter Hubbard . . . . . .Jackson
Jim Tuttle . . . . . .Vicksburg

Managerial Staff

Phil Bass . .Director, Office of Pollution Control
Keith Harkins . . . . . .Director, Office of Administrative Services
Sam Mabry . . . . . .Director, Office of Land and Water Resources
Mike Bogard . . . . . .Director, Office of Geology

Duties and responsibilities. To protect the environment of the State of Mississippi in the areas of land, air, and water.

GULF STATES MARINE FISHERIES

P.O. Box 726
Ocean Springs 39564
(228) 875-5912/(f) (228) 875-6604
E-mail: vherring@gsmfc.org
Website: www.gsmfc.org
Executive officer: Larry B. Simpson
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-15-103 (1972)

Three members serving staggered, four-year terms; one appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, and the others as designated by the statute.

Commission Members

Walter J. Blessey . . . . . .Biloxi, 01/2004
Tommy Gollott . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2010
Joseph I. Gill, Jr. . . . . .Ocean Springs, 01/2007

Managerial Staff

Larry Simpson . . . . . .Assistant Director
Ron Lukens . . . . . .Executive Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To coordinate the Marine Law and Policy in the five Gulf states: Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, and Florida.

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

1141 Bayview Ave., Ste. 101
Biloxi 39530
(228) 374-5000/(f) (228) 374-5005
E-mail: bill.walker@dmr.state.ms.us
Website: www.dmr.state.ms.us
Executive officer: William Walker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-15-305 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor as statutorily designated from Jackson, Harrison, and Hancock Counties with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members
Vernon Asper . . . . . .Diamondhead, 07/2006
Shelby Drummond . . . . . .Gautier, 07/2008
Richard Gollott . . . . . .Biloxi, 07/2008
Mikel Gusa . . . . . .Gulfport, 07/2006
Oliver Sahuque . . . . . .Lakeshore, 07/2008

Managerial Staff
William Walker . . . . . .Director
Fred Deegen . . . . . .Deputy Director
Joe Zegler . . . . . .Chief of Staff
William Perret . . . . . .Office Director of Marine Fisheries
Jane Boyd . .Office Director of Coastal Ecology
Pat Daughdrill . . . . . .Administrative Services
George Wright . . . . . .Marine Patrol

Duties and responsibilities. To formulate the policies of the Department of Marine Resources pertaining to the agency's mandated responsibilities which include establishing and maintaining marine fisheries regulations for commercial and recreational fisheries; favoring the preservation of coastal wetlands or permitting wetlands development activities where such development serves a higher public interest and meets federal consistency requirements; tidelands program management; seafood processing plant certification; shellfish growing waters management; license sales; derelict vessel removal and marine boat and water safety administration.

MISSISSIPPI GULF COAST REGIONAL WASTE WATER AUTHORITY

3110 Frederic St.
Pascagoula 39567
(228) 762-0119/(f) (228) 762-3299
E-mail: mgcrwa@bellsouth.net
Executive officer: Curtis E. Miller
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-309 (1972)

Members, serving staggered terms of from two to six years, are appointed by the Governor from recommendations of participating counties and municipalities.

Authority Members
L. Paul (Brad) Bradford Jr. . . . . .Ocean Springs, 05/2005
Billy Witchen . . . . . .Pascagoula, 05/2007
Bob Stephens . . . . . .Gautier, 05/2009
Jackie Elly . . . . . .Moss Point, 05/2008

Managerial Staff
Sandy Feathers . . . . . .Administrative Manager
Kevin Eliot . . . . . .Operations Manager
Danny Smith . . . . . .Technical Manager

Duties and responsibilities. The Mississippi Gulf Coast Regional Wastewater Authority was created in 1980 for the sole purpose of upgrading and operating the municipal wastewater treatment facilities along the Mississippi Coast. Since its inception, the Authority consistently strives to treat wastewater in the most environmentally conscious and economically feasible manner, while complying with state-regulated permit parameters.

MISSISSIPPI WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COUNCIL

P.O. Box 20305
Jackson 39289
(601) 961-5002/(f) ((601) 354-6938
E-mail: sam_marby@deq.state.ms.us
Website: www.deq.state.ms.us
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 51-3-10 and 51-3-103 (1972)

Twenty-six members, serving staggered, four-year terms; sixteen appointed by the Governor, one from each Congressional District and specified organizations; remainder statutorily designated.

Council Members
George D. Martin . . . . . .Roxie, 07/2007
Chris Bowen . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2006
Donald Gant . . . . . .Merigold, 06/2006
Henry Reed . . . . . .Belzoni, 06/2006
Mayor Bill Rutledge . . . . . .Pontotoc, 06/2006
Robert Avant . . . . . .Batesville, 06/2006

Managerial Staff
Keith Hartkins . . . . . .Council Administrator

Duties and responsibilities. To make annual reports and recommendations to the Commission on Environmental Quality, the Governor, and the Legislature concerning the state's water quality.

PAT HARRISON WATERWAY DISTRICT

P.O. Drawer 1509
Hattiesburg 39403
(601) 264-5951/(f) (601) 268-2778
E-mail: stewart@phwd.net
Website: www.phwd.net
Executive officer: Chris Bowen
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 51 -15 -1 (1972)

Eighteen members serving four-year terms; three appointed by the Governor, and one each from the member counties as appointed by the Boards of Supervisors.

Commission Members
James Buchanan . . . . . .Clarke County, 01/2009
Henry Leonard . . .Covington County, 01/2009
Lewis Myrick . . . . . .Forrest County, 01/2009
Aubert Pitts . . . . . .George County, 01/2006
Ben Johnson . . . . . .Greene County, 01/2006
Conrad Mallette . . . . .Jackson County, 01/2006
Herman Sims . . . . . .Jasper County, 01/2006
Gene Pickering . . . . . .Jones County, 01/2007
John Dale Bullock . . . .Lamar County, 01/2007
Bill Pennington . .Lauderdale County, 01/2007
George Heard . . . . . .Newton County, 01/2007
Jake White . . . . . .Perry County, 01/2008
Don Pittman . . . . . .Smith County, 01/2008
Joe Duckworth . . . . . .Stone County, 01/2008
Kim Pryor . . . . . .Wayne County, 01/2008

Governor Appointees
Jason Rahaim . . . . . .District-at-Large, 01/2008
James Bishop . . . . . .District-at-Large, 01/2008
Henry Rath . . . . . .District-at-Large, 01/2008

Managerial Staff
Chris Bowen . . . . . .Executive Director
Stone D. Barefield, Jr. . . . . .District Water Parks Superintendent
Norman Smith . . . . . .Comptroller

Duties and responsibilities. To utilize, develop, conserve, and regulate waters within the district; to ensure an adequate flood control program and sanitary water supply at all times; to promote the balanced economic development of the state and to aid in conservation and development of state forests, irrigation of lands and pollution abatement; to preserve, conserve, store and regulate the waters of the district overflow waters for domestic, municipal, commercial industrial, agricultural and manufacturing purposes, for recreational uses, for flood control, timber development, irrigation and pollution abatement.

PEARL RIVER BASIN DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

P.O. Box 5332
Jackson 39296-5332
(601) 354-6301/(f) (601) 354-6353
E-mail: prbinfo@prbdd.state.ms.us
Website: www.pearlriverbasin.com
Executive officer: Mike Davis
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 51-11-3 and 51-11-5 (1972)

Thirty-five members, serving staggered, six-year terms; one appointed by the Governor, two from each member county by the Board of Supervisors, and one each from statutorily defined state agencies serving ex officio.

Board Members

Keith Alan . . . .Department of Health, 01/2010
Larry Barker . . . . .Pearl River County, 11/2006
Pat Brown . . . . . .Simpson County, 09/2009
Cecilia Bullock . . . . . .Governor, 09/2007
Cody Buckley . . . . . .Marion County, 10/2006
John E. Cameron . . . . . .Hines County, 09/2006
Gregory D. Dossett . .Hancock County, 03/2006
Omer Haas . . . . . .Hancock County, 11/2011
Billie Jane Hall . . . . . .Pike County, 10/2006
William Harkles . . . . . .Hinds County, 10/2010
Robert Jones . . . . . .Walthall County, 09/2005
Steven L. Kennedy . .Walthall County, 10/2007
Kenny Latham . . . . . .Scott County, 05/2007
Bennett Massey . . . . . .Scott County, 04/2010
James Mayfield . . . . . .Leake County, 10/2006
Harvey Morgan . . . . . .Leake County, 10/2009
Ken Morgan . . . . . .Marion County, 07/2006
James Murphy . . . . .Neshoba County, 10/2008
Dr. Sam Polles . . . . . .Rankin County, 11/2007
Phil Reed . . . . . .Hinds County, 11/2009
Kent Robbins . . . .Pearl River County, 10/2009
Michael Sampson . . . . . .Forestry Commission, 06/2011
Lee Seal . . . . . .Hancock County, 07/2011
Millard Smith . . . . . .Lincoln County, 07/2010
Bill Stroble . . . . . .Pike County, 10/2006
Hugh Jack Stubbs . .Simpson County, 09/2009
Travis Tadlock . . . . . .Lincoln County, 01/2007
Milton Thompson . . . .Hinds County, 09/2010
Billy Van Devender . . . . . .Department of Environmental Quality, 07/2005
Joe Weston . . . . . .Hinds County, 09/2010
Roy White . . . . . .Neshoba County, 10/2005

Managerial Staff

Mike Joseph . . . . . .Executive Vice President
Jimmy Armstrong . . . . . .Director of Finance and Personnel
Paul Collins . . . . . .Park Administrator

Duties and responsibilities. To develop plans for public works of improvement for the preservation, conservation development, storage and regulation of soil and waters within the Pearl River Basin, including the impoundage, diversion, plowage and distribution of waters for industrial, irrigational or potable water supplies, the development of waters for navigation, and the prevention of flood water damage.

PEARL RIVER VALLEY WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT

P.O. Box 2180
Ridgeland 39158
(601) 856-6574/(f) (601) 856-6639
E-mail: kgriffin@rossbarnettreservoir.org
Website: www.prvwsd.org
Executive officer: Kenneth C. Griffin
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code. Ann. § 51- 9-107 (1972)

Fourteen members designated by statute including one Board of Supervisors appointee from each member county.

Board Members

Samuel Mitchell . . . . . .Jackson
Charles Chisolm . . . . . .Jackson
Charles Porter . . . . . .Madison
Billy Cook . . . . . .Carthage
Phillip Crosby . . . . . .Carthage
Walter Crapps . . . . . .Lena
W.C. Gordon . . . . . .Jackson
Gene McGee . . . . . .Ridgeland
Vernard Murrell . . . . . .Forest
Edward Baker . . . . . .Jackson
Mary Kim Smith . . . . . .Brandon

Steve Adcock . . . . . .Jackson
Jim Carraway . . . . . .Brandon
Vacant at time of printing

Managerial Staff
Craig Hunt . . . . . .Park Administrator
John Coward . . . . . .Bureau Director
Benny French . . . . . .Chief Engineer
Dan Gillet . . . . . .District Engineer, PE
Lawrence Benton . . . . . .Deputy Director
James R. Lewis . . . . . .Bureau Director
James Stepp . . . . . .Chief Reservoir Patrol

Duties and responsibilities. To furnish an adequate source of water to metropolitan Jackson and to provide water-oriented recreational opportunities to Central Mississippi. Owns and operates the Ross Barnett Reservoir.

STATE OIL AND GAS BOARD

500 Greymont Ave., Ste. E
Jackson 39202
(601) 354-7114/(f) (601) 354-6873
E-mail: wboone@ogb.state.ms.us
Website: www.ogb.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Walter A. Boone
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 53-1-3 and 53-1-5 (1972)

Five members, three appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate to staggered, six-year terms from each Supreme Court District; one each by the Lieutenant Governor and the Attorney General to staggered, four-year terms.

Board Members
Joseph S. Zuccaro . . . . . .Natchez, 05/2006
James S. Meek . . . . . .Batesville, 05/2008
Ron Peresich . . . . . .Biloxi, 05/2008
Bill Allain . . . . . .Jackson, 05/2008
David Scott . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2010

Managerial Staff
Pauline Williams . . . . . .Confidential Secretary
Lisa Ivshin . . . .Underground Injection Control
Kent Ford . . . . . .Chief Petroleum Engineer
Diane Rayfield . . . . . .Hearing Administrator
Sue Castillo . . . . . .Records
Juanita Harper . . . . . .Production
John Tyson . . . . . .Data Processing
Eric Hambrick . . . . . .Finance

Duties and responsibilities. To administer and enforce the statutory provisions relating to the conservation of oil and gas; to make rules and regulations for the proper administration and enforcement of statutory provisions relating to oil and gas; to regulate drilling; to prevent the escape of oil and gas, the intrusion of water, and the pollution of fresh water supplies; to regulate and provide for the safety of all production activities; and to allocate and apportion the production of oil and gas.

SMALL BUSINESS COMPLIANCE ADVISORY PANEL

P.O. Box 20305
Jackson 39289
(601) 961-5676/(f) (601) 961-5524
E-mail: Jennifer_Kimbrought@deq.state.ms.us
Website: www.deq.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Rex Hollingsworth
Selection of executive officer: Selected by panel of members
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-45 (1972)

Seven members, serving terms concurrent with the appointing officials, one from the Air Pollution Control Office, two appointed by the Governor, two appointed by the Speaker of the House, and two appointed by the Lieutenant Governor.

Panel Members
Hilliard Lackey . . . . . .Jackson
Sonny Bolls . . . . . .Jackson
Bess Norville . . . . . .Jackson

Betty Trulove . . . . . .West Point
Danny Jackson . . . . . .Jackson
Rex Hollingsworth . . . . . .Fulton

Duties and responsibilities. To render advisory opinions concerning the effectiveness of the program, difficulties encountered, and degree and severity of enforcement; to make periodic reports to the EPA concerning the compliance of the program with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, the Regulatory Flexibility Act, and the Equal Access to Justice Act; and to review information for small business stationery sources to assure such information is understandable by the layperson.

TENNESSEE-TOMBIGBEE WATERWAY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

P.O. Box 671
Columbus 39701-0671
888-TENN-TOM/(f) (601) 328-0363
E-mail: tenntom@ebicom.net
Website: www.tenntom.org
Executive officer: Donald G. Waldon
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 51-27-1

Mississippi has six appointments to the Authority: the Governor and five of his/her appointees, each serving four-year terms concurrent with the Governor's term.

Authority Members from Mississippi

Bill Cleveland . . . . . .Tupelo, 04/2008
Bud Phillips . . . . . .Columbus, 04/2008
Charlie Williams . . . . . .Senatobia, 04/2008
Dale Pierce . . . . . .Aberdeen, 04/2008
Martha Seagers . . . . . .Iuka, 04/2008
Nick Ardillo . . . . . .Columbus, 04/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To adopt rules and regulations; to promote, encourage and coordinate the efforts of the port states to secure the development of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; to formulate and execute plans and policies for emphasizing the purpose of this compact before the Congress of the United States and other appropriate officers.

TOMBIGBEE RIVER VALLEY WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

P.O. Box 616
Tupelo 38802-0616
(662) 842-2131 /(f) (662) 842-2132
E-mail: trvwmd@midsouth.com
Executive officer: Jimmy D. Mills
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 51-13-105

Members, all serving staggered, four-year terms, are designated by statute to include members of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Valley Authority, one Board of Supervisors appointee from each member county, and one gubernatorial appointee.

Board Members

Ann Berryhill* . . . . .Pontotoc County, 09/2003
Joe Brooks . . . . . .Lowndes County, 08/2008
James A. Chatham . . .Itawamba County, 08/2008
Jerry Mack Etheridge . .Prentiss County, 08/2008
Robert Allen Godfrey* . . .Lee County, 01/2004
L.J. Goodgame* . . . . .Monroe County, 05/1974
Donald G. Goodwin . .Kemper County, 08/2008
William Bert Hill . .Chickasaw County, 08/2008
Larry Jarrett . . . . . .Pontotoc County, 08/2008
Tommy Johnson . . .Lowndes County, 03/2009
Peggy H. Jolly* . . . . .Noxubee County, 06/1994
Jerry D. Keith . . .Tishomingo County, 08/2008
R. Perry Lucas . . . . .Lowndes County, 08/2008
W. Brett Marlar . . . . . .Alcorn County, 08/2008
Jimmy Marlin* . . .Tishomingo County, 07/2001
Stanley Pulliam* . .Chickasaw County, 11/1969
Gerald Rushing* . .Itawamba County, 04/1999
Jesse Shields* . . .State Board of Health, 10/1999
Ralph G. Smith* . . . . .Prentiss County, 02/1997
W.M. Bradley Smith* . . .Forestry Com., 01/2002

Earl E. Thomas* . . . . .Kemper County, 01/2003
Al Tuck* . .Dept of Wildlife/Fisheries, 05/2002
George Vickers . . . . . .Clay County, 08/2008
Ralph H. Weems, Jr. . . . .Clay County, 08/2008
Henry Weiss* . . .Dept. of Env. Quality, 04/1990
Ronald K. West . . . .Lowndes County, 08/2008
Lonnie Whitt . . . . .Chickasaw County, 08/2008
Thomas A. Wicker . . . . . .Lee County, 08/2008
James Wilkinson* . . . . .Alcorn County, 07/2002
Bobby Wilson . . . . . .Monroe County, 08/2008
** Serving until successors are named*

Managerial Staff
Jimmie D. Mills, P.E. . . . . .Executive Director
Richard Bryant . . . . . .Engineer
Henry J. Applewhite . . . . . .Attorney
Lynda Gannon . . . . . .Accounting/ Auditing Technician
Mary Jo Spencer . . .Administrative Assistant III

Duties and responsibilities. To provide plans for conservation, recreation, water control, water supply and utilization (including pollution abatement and irrigation); agricultural development (including forestry); for industrial and economic advancement and other related purposes; to include navigation within the plans of the Tombigbee River Valley Water Management District.

YAZOO MISSISSIPPI DELTA JOINT WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

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Stoneville 38776
(662) 686-7712/(f) (662) 686-9078
E-mail: burt@ymd.org
Website: www.ymd.org
Branch office
P.O. Box 220
Marks 38646
(662) 326-4400/(f) (662) 326-7917
Executive officer: Dr. Dean Pennington
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board

Reference: Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 11, § 229

Two Board Members from each member county are elected to serve four-year terms.

Board Members
Don Aylward . . . . . .Pace, 10/2006
Ronald Aguzzi . . . . . .Cleveland, 11/2007
Ross Story . . . . . .Cleveland, 10/2006
Samuel W. Long . . . . . .Greenwood, 06/2006
Buck Falls . . . . . .Clarksdale, 07/2010
Robert Abbay IV . . . . . .Walls, 02/2009
Frank Gwin, Jr. . . . . .Tchula, 08/2009
Oscar Griffin . . . . . .Belzoni, 11/2009
O.J. Sharpe . . . . . .Rolling Fork, 04/2002
Berton Cowan . . . . . .Greenwood, 07/2006
Duke Kimbrough . . . . . .Morgan City, 07/2006
David Hays . . . . . .Sardis, 12/2005
James Waller . . . . . .Crowder, 08/2004
John Abney . . . . . .Rolling Fork, 06/2005
Rex Morgan . . . . . .Indianola, 10/2006
Stafford Shurden . . . . . .Drew, 10/2006
Sykes Sturdivant . . . . . .Glendora, 04/2005
Sam Allison . . . . . .Sarah, 05/2005
Richard Flowers . . . . . .Tunica, 08/2009
Abbott Myers . . . . . .Dundee, 10/2006
Frank Reed . . . . . .Tunica, 08/2004
Gibson Steele . . . . . .Hollandale, 11/2005
Marcus Hooker . . . . . .Greenville, 11/2005
Herbert Huddleston . . . . .Winterville, 11/2005
Howard Sanders . . . . . .Hollandale, 04/2010
Chat Phillips . . . . . .Yazoo City, 02/2010

Managerial Staff
Dillard Melton . . . . .Permitting Administrator
Mark Stiles . . . . . .System Administrator
Judith McGaugh . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. Promoting and maintaining water resources, conservation, management and development, establishing and implementing water supply, water quality and water utilization plans and programs.

Occupations and Professions

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

P.O. Box 4508
Jackson 39296-4508
(601) 987-6806/(f) (601) 987-6808
E-mail: bdilworth@swmft.state.ms.us
Website: www.msboeswmft.com
Executive officer: Billy Dilworth
Selection of executive officer: Selected by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-53-8 (1972)

Ten members, serving staggered, five-year terms; six appointed by the Governor and four appointed by the Lieutenant Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Hank Rainer . . . . . .Jackson, 06/3008
Patricia A. Terry . . . . . .Jackson 06/2005
Clayton R. (Rusty) Barnett . . .Decatur, 06/2006
Gene Mumbower . . . . . .Clinton, 06/2006
Stephen L. Clay . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2006
Virginia H. Adolph . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2006
William Jeffrey Hinton . .Hattiesburg, 06/3007
H.L. Rainer . . . . . .Jackson 06/2007
Barbara Martin . . . . . .Clinton, 06/2008
Stella M. Johnson . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2007

Managerial Staff

Billy Dilworth . . . . . .Executive Director
Erica Allen . . . . . .Administrative Assistant
Nellie Brown . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To license and regulate social workers and marriage and family therapists.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

419 E. Broadway
Yazoo City 39194
(662) 716-3932; 1-888-860-7001/(f) (662) 751-4628
E-mail: acox@maminc.net
Website: www.lpc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Ann A. Cox
Selection of executive officer: Selected by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-30-5 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, three-year terms; appointed by the Governor from statutory designations with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Edrice J. Polk . . . . . .Prentiss, 06/2007
Debra Lee Carr . . . . . .Purvis, 06/2008
Gloria Dansby-Giles . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
Christy G. Broome . . . . . .Batesville, 06/2007
Debbie K. Wells, Chair . . . .Columbus, 06/2004

Managerial Staff

Ann A. Cox . . . . . .Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. The Board is authorized and empowered to examine, license, and renew the license of duly qualified applicants; conduct hearings upon complaints concerning the disciplining or licensing of applicants and psychologists; and deny, approve, withhold, revoke, suspend and/or otherwise discipline applicants and licensed psychologists.

BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

5 River Pl., Ste. 104
Jackson 39202-3449
(601) 354-7320/(f) (601) 354-7290
E-mail: executivedirector@msbpa.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbpa.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Susan M. Harris, Executive Director
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-33-3 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor, one from each 1991 Congressional District and two at large.

John Quon . . . . . .Cleveland, 12/2005
Angela Pannell . . . . . .Bay St. Louis, 12/2007
Diane S. Day . . . . . .Canton, 12/2007
Jim E. Burkes . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2007
Jean T. Shepherd . . . . . .Philadelphia, 12/2006
Willie Sims . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 12/2008
Rick Elam . . . . . .Oxford, 12/2009

BOARD OF REGISTERED GEOLOGISTS

P.O. Box 22742
Jackson 39225-6370
(601) 354-6370/(f) (601) 354-6032
E-mail: geology@msbrpg.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbrpg.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Rick L. Ericksen, Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-63-9 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Board Members

Everett J. Ferris . . . . . .Flowood, 06/2009
Darrel W. Schmitz . . .Mississippi State, 06/2009
L. Edward Hollingsworth . . .Brandon, 06/2007
John W. Green, President . . . . . .Terry, 06/2008
Maureen K. Corcoran . . . . . .Natchez, 06/2008

Managerial Staff

Rick L. Ericksen . . . . . .Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. To safeguard life, health, and property and to promote the public welfare by thoroughly reviewing qualifications of applicants, administering qualifying examinations, investigating complaints and enforcing the laws, rules, and regulations governing the practice of geology.

BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

209 S. Lafayette
Starkville 39759-0000
(662) 324-9380/(f) (662) 324-9380
E-mail: msvma@futuresouth.com
Website: www.msvet.org
Executive officer: E. Mac Huddleston
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-39-5 (1972)

Five members serving staggered five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, from nominations by the professional association.

Board Members

Betsy A. Lipscomb . . . . . .Port Gibson, 05/2006
Douglas F. Jefcoat . . . . . .Laurel, 05/2010
Stuart G. Denman, Jr. . . . .Charleston, 05/2007
Clyde E. Taylor . . . . . .Starkville, 04/2009
David C. Newell . . . . . .Meridian, 04/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To adopt reasonable rules governing the practice of veterinary medicine; to adopt rules of professional conduct appropriate to establish and maintain a high standard of integrity, skills, and practice in the profession of veterinary medicine; to bring proceedings in courts for the enforcement of such rules; to hold at least one regular meeting on the third Tuesday in June in each year in the City of Jackson for the purpose of conducting examinations of applications for license to practice veterinary medicine; to provide for, regulate and require all persons licensed in accordance with the code to renew their license annually.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

400 Legacy Park Dr., Ste. B
Ridgeland 39157
(601) 899-9071/(f) (601) 899-9171
E-mail: msboa@archbd.state.ms.us
Website: www.archbd.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Jenny Wilkinson
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-2-13 (1972)

Five members, serving five-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Committee Members

Temple Barry . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2010
Pete Poland III . . . . . .Tupelo, 07/2006
Frank Dalton Alley . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2007
Christopher B. Hoffman . . . . .Clinton, 07/2008
James Herbert Perry . . . .Philadelphia, 07/2009

Duties and responsibilities. To provide a complete and thorough registration process, set standards for professional conduct, investigate and discipline unauthorized or incompetent practice and promote uniformity of requirements across the nation.

MISSISSIPPI ATHLETIC COMMISSION

P.O. Box 720820
Byram 39272
(601) 373-9361/(f) (601) 373-9467
E-mail: msboxing@aol.com
Executive officer: Jon Lewis
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 75-75-103 (1972)

Three members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Commission Members

Tiffany Hawkins Davis . . . . .Natchez, 04/2006
Jon Lewis . . . . . .Raymond, 04/2010
Stan Torgerson . . . . . .Meridian, 04/2010

Duties and responsibilities. Directs, manages, controls, and has jurisdiction over all professional boxing, sparring, and wrestling matches or exhibitions conducted, held, or given within the State of Mississippi; publishes rules for professional boxing, sparring, and wrestling exhibitions; issues permits for these events; receives applications for licenses; orders licenses or permits issued to promoters and participants of these events; and collects a fee of 6 percent of the gross ticket sales.

MISSISSIPPI AUCTIONEER COMMISSION

(601) 364-2384/(f) (601) 364-2387
P.O. Box 5088
Jackson 39296
E-mail: auction@netdoor.com
Executive officer: Kam Remsen
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-4-7 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; one from each Congressional District, appointed by the Governor.

Commission Members

Bert Singleton . . . . . .Pascagoula, 07/2005
Benny Taylor . . . . . .Grenada, 06/2006
J. Marshall Riddick, Jr. . . . . .Drew, 07/2007
Gaston W. Barrett . . . . . .Philadelphia, 07/2008
Jack Armstrong III . . . . . .Laurel, 06/2009

Managerial Staff

Kam Remsen, Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. The objective of this Commission as a licensing and regulatory authority is to oversee compliance with Miss. Code Ann. § 73-4-1 et seq. (1972), and to form effective rules and regulations that protect the public while benefiting the auction industry in Mississippi and surrounding states.

MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF NURSING

1935 Lakeland Dr., Ste. B
Jackson 39216
(601) 987-4188/(f) (601) 364-2352
E-mail: dowens@msbn.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbn.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Delia Y. Owens
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-15-9 (1972)

Thirteen members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor according to statutory designations with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Delores Barlow . . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2004
Sonja R. Fuqua . . . . . .Madison, 06/2004
Tina Mabry . . . . . .Decatur, 06/2004
Brenda James-Reed . . . . . .Summit, 06/2005
Rosie M. Tallie . . . . . .West Point, 06/2005
Bess Crawley Blackwell . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Debra F. Allen . . . . . .Greenville, 06/2006
Nancy Yentzen . . . . . .Pass Christian, 06/2006
Becky Nelms . . . . . .Brookhaven, 06/2006
Cathy Williamson . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2008
Darlene Lindsey . . . . . .McComb, 06/2008
Gary DeWayne Self . . . . . .Madison, 06/2008
Tina Mabry . . . . . .Lake, 07/2007
Dolly Marascalco . . . . . .Grenada, 06/2007
Sherry Diane Harrison-Bell . .Gulfport, 06/2009

Duties and responsibilities. To regulate the practice of nursing for the protection of the public. The Mississippi Board of Nursing regulates the practice of nurses and licenses all qualified registered nurses and practical nurses; adopts rules and regulations necessary for the regulation of nursing; administers the licensure examination program for registered and practical nurse applicants; establishes scope of nursing practice; provides certification for qualified nurse practitioners; conducts investigation and disciplinary hearings relevant to violations of the Nurse Practice Law; monitors the practice of any nurse with restricted licensure; renews licenses; maintains licensure files.

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

P.O. Box 1699
Jackson 39215-1699
(601) 321-6000/(f) (601) 321-6004
Website: www.mdes.ms.gov
Executive officer: Tommy Dale Favre, Executive Director
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor with advice and consent of the Senate
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 71-5-101 (1972)

Managerial Staff

James Lot . . . .Deputy Executive Director, COO
Mike Marsh . .Deputy Executive Director, CFO
Alice Perry . . . . . .One Stop Improvement and Special Initiatives
Les Range . . . .Office of Workforce Operations
Gennie Jones . . . .Office of Policy Development
Wanda Land . . . .Office of Grant Management
Irish Smothers . . . . . .Office of Learning
James Usry . . . . . .Information Systems
Flip Phillips . .Office of Administrative Support
John Garrett . . . . . .Office of Legal Services
Liz Barnett . . . . . .Office of Public Information
Cecil Jones . . . . . .Office of Collection and Fraud Prevention

Duties and responsibilities. To promote employment security by increasing opportunities for placement through the maintenance of a system of public employment offices and to provide through the accumulation of reserves for the payment of compensation to individuals with respect to their unemployment.

MISSISSIPPI GAMING COMMISSION

P.O. Box 23577
Jackson 39201
(601) 576-3800/(f) (601) 576-3810
E-mail: lgregory@mgc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mgc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Larry Gregory
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 75-76-7 (1972)

Three members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with PEER review and advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Howard Sanders . . . . . .Hollandale, 09/2005
Nolen Canon, Jr. . . . . .Tunica, 10/2007
Jerry St. Pe . . . . . .Pascagoula, 10/2008

Duties and responsibilities. The Mississippi Gaming Commission administers the Gaming Control Act and Charitable Bingo Law, including the enforcement of laws pertaining to riverboat gambling and charitable bingo in Mississippi.

MISSISSIPPI INDUSTRIES FOR THE BLIND

P.O. Box 4417
Jackson 39296-4417
(601) 984-3200/(f) (601) 984-3297
E-mail: visualimpaired@msblind.org
Website: www.msblind.org
Executive officer: Joe Carballo
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-3-103 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; four appointed by the Governor and three by the Lieutenant Governor, with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Jane Strobel Miller, Esq. . . . .Meridian, 06/2005
Adele Crudden . . . . . .Starkville, 06/2004
Pshon Barrett . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2007
Randolph T. Milliard . . . . . .Brandon, 11/2007
Mike Duke . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2007
Robert Crisler . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2008

Managerial Staff

Tina Britt . . . . . .Human Resources, Director
Dee Hey . . . . . .Deputy Director
Mike Chew . . . . . .Deputy Director
Alfred Newman . . . . . .Deputy Director
Jerry Witherspoon . . . . . .Deputy Director

Duties and responsibilities. To provide employment opportunities to every legally blind citizen in the State of Mississippi at competitive wages through the profitable manufacture and delivery of quality products and services.

MISSISSIPPI REAL ESTATE APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD

P.O. Box 12685
Jackson 39236
(601) 932-9191/(f) (601) 932-3880
Website: www.mrec.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Anita Griffith
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-34-7 (1972)

Six members, serving staggered, four-year terms; five appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, one from each 1992 Congressional District and holding statutorily specified qualifications. The Mississippi Real Estate Commission Administrator is ex officio.

Board Members

Anita Griffith . . . . . .Cleveland, 01/2006
Teresa Rankin . . . . . .Biloxi, 01/2006
Kempe Hodges . . . . . .Kosciusko, 12/2006
Hugh Hogue . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2008
Jeff Short . . . . . .Tupelo, 12/2008

Managerial Staff
Mike McGee . . . . . .Deputy Director
Felisha Bracey . . . . . .Administrative Assistant
Brenda Terrell . . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To license, regulate, and supervise resident and non-resident real estate appraisers; and to provide penalties for violation of the Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Act of 1990.

MISSISSIPPI REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

P.O. Box 12685
Jackson 39236-2685
(601) 932-9191/(f) (601) 932-2990
E-mail: rpraytor@mrec.state.ms.us
Website: www.mrec.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Robert E. Praytor
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-35-5 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor, one from each 1983 Congressional District with advice and consent of the Senate.

Alvin Gilless . . . .Southaven, 06/2007
Gary C. Murphree . . . . . .Houston, 06/2009
John Dean, Jr. . . . . .Leland, 06/2009
Larry Edwards . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Mark Cumbest . . . . . .Moss Point, 06/2009

Duties and responsibilities. To license, regulate, and supervise resident, non-resident real estate brokers, salespersons, and their businesses; and to provide penalties for violation of the Real Estate Brokers License Act of 1954 as amended.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

P.O. Box 55689
Jackson 39296-5689
(601) 987-6837/(f) (601) 987-6840
E-mail: nluckett@msbc.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Nelda Luckett
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-7-1 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members
Mary Long . . . . . .Hernando, 08/2008
Dorothy Ennis . . . . . .McComb, 08/2005
Gayle Lunsford . . . . . .Taylorsville, 08/2006
Hilda Bills . . . . . .Jackson, 08/2006
Mary Long . . . . . .Hernando, 08/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To administer examinations for the licensing of the cosmetology profession; to provide a curriculum as a guideline for the training of cosmetology related professions; to provide for reasonable rules and regulations for the operation of cosmetology schools and cosmetological establishments within the state; and to ensure the practice of competently licensed individuals only.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

600 E. Amite St., Ste. 100
Jackson 39201
(601) 944-9622/(f) (601) 944-9624
E-mail: dental@msbde.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbde.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Leah Diane Howell
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board

Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-9-7 (1972)

Eight members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Robert L. Smith, Jr. . . . . .Hernando, 06/2011
James A. (Tony) Bounds . . . . . .Laurel, 06/2011
Thurmond Beasley, DDS . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2008
Rhonda C. Harper, RDH . . . . . .Pass Christian, 06/2009
Marion Lewis Grubbs, DMD . .Jackson, 06/2009
Dr. Alvin L. Felts, Jr. . . . . .Pascagoula, 06/2009
John Walter Starr, Jr., DMD . .Columbus, 06/2010
William T. Obrien III, DDS . .Natchez, 06/2010

Duties and responsibilities. To determine the qualifications and issue licenses to dentists and dental hygienists; regulate the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene within the State; compile lists of prospective appointees for appointment by the Governor to the Board of Dental Examiners; conduct examinations of applicants for the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene at least annually; promulgate rules and regulations governing the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene within the State; conduct investigations of complaints against licensees; to conduct revocation hearings for good cause shown; conduct seminars and examinations for the issuance of radiology permits to dental assistants; keep current records on all licensed dentists, dental hygienists, and dental assistants.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

644 Lakeland East Dr., Ste. C
Flowood 39232
(601) 932-1442/(f) (601) 932-1544
E-mail: cwalker@bnha.state.ms.us
Website: www.bnha.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Cathy F. Walker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-17-7 et seq. (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate. State Health Officer or designee is ex officio.

A.D. Buffington . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
James C. Holland . . . . . .Fulton, 06/2006
Elizabeth Twiner . . . . . .Madison, 06/2008
Mark A. Adams . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
James C. Waites, M.D. . . . . .Laurel, 06/2008
Virginia Lee Cora . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
Brian Cain . . . . . .Wiggins, 06/2009

Managerial Staff

Heather Hakim . . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To develop, impose, and enforce standards for the licensure of nursing home administrators; administer examinations; issue licenses for nursing home administrators; receive complaints concerning the failure of nursing home administrators to comply with statutory requirements; implement educational programs designed to increase the professional proficiency of nursing home administrators; to investigate licenses and revoke licenses.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

P.O. Box 12370
Jackson 39236
(601) 853-4338/(f) (601) 853-0336
E-mail: office@msoptometry.org
Website: www.msoptometry.org
Executive director: Beverly Limbaugh
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-19-7 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, five-year terms; one appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate from each 1980 Congressional District.

Board Members
Gill Davis, O.D. . . . . .Newton, 06/2010
Fred H. Mothershed, O.D. . . . .Tupelo, 06/2005
W. Boyce Craig, O.D. . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2006
Dr. Watts Davis, O.D. . . . . .Laurel, 06/2007
Dr. Charles Lowell Jones . . . . .Belzoni, 06/2006
Charles E. (Chuck) Barnes . . .Summit, 06/2009
William Gil Davis . . . . . .Newton, 06/2006

Managerial Staff
Beverly Limbaugh . . . . . .Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. The first obligation of the Board is protection of Mississippi consumers. The Board also gives examinations for licensure, and responsibility for all disciplinary action against optometrists who practice in the state.

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY

P.O. Box 13769
Jackson 39236-1769
(662) 716-3934/(f) (662) 751-4628
E-mail: mmore@maminc.net
Website: www.psychologyboard.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Misty Moore
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-31-5 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor as designated by statute.

Board Members
Angela J. Koestler, Ph.D. . .Vicksburg, 06/2005
Joseph W. Kastner, Ph.D. . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
H. Dale Abadie . . . . . .Oxford, 07/2007
Douglas Cole, Ph.D. . . . . .Greenville, 06/2008
Lynwood Wheeler, Ph.D. Hattiesburg, 06/2008
Karen Ann Christoff . . . . . .Oxford, 06/2007
Thomas David Elkin . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009

Managerial Staff
Kathy Boutwell . . . . . .Board Administrator
Misty Moore . . . . . .Board Liaison

Duties and responsibilities. To safeguard life, health, property, and the public welfare of this state and to protect the people of this state against unauthorized, unqualified, and improper application of psychology.

POLYGRAPH EXAMINERS BOARD

P.O. Box 958
Jackson 39205
(601) 576-3889/(f) (601) 576-3929
E-mail: jgaines@mdps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: David P. Bethay
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-29-7

Three qualified polygraph examiners, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members
David P. Bethea 06/2007
James Gaines 07/2005
Kenneth Humphrys 07/2007

Managerial Staff
Gail Millas . . . . . .Secretary/Treasury

Duties and responsibilities. To administer licenses for polygraph examiners, in and out of state, who operate within the State of Mississippi; and to ensure there are no unfit examiners practicing within the State of Mississippi.

STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE

400 Legacy Park Dr., Ste. B
Ridgeland 39157
(601) 899-9071/(f) (601) 899-9171
E-mail: msboa@archbd.state.ms.us
Website: www.archbd.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Jenny Wilkinson
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-1-5 (1972)

Five members, serving five-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Board Members

Leroy P. (Buddy) McCarty . . . .Tupelo, 06/2010
W. Taylor Guild III . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2006
William P. Tompkins, Jr. . . . . .Jackson, 06/2007
Jody Coleman . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
Richard McNeel . . . . . .Jackson, 05/2009

Managerial Staff

Ralph Maisel . . . . . .IDP Coordinator
Dean James West . . . . .Educational Consultant

Duties and responsibilities. To provide a complete and thorough registration process, set standards for professional conduct, investigate and discipline unauthorized or incompetent practice and promote uniformity of requirements across the nation.

STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

P.O. Box 603
Jackson 39205-0603
(601) 359-1015/(f) (601) 359-1050
E-mail: msbbe@bellsouth.net
Executive officer: L.W. Laird, Jr.
Selection of executive officer: Selected by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-5-1 (1972)

Five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor from each Congressional District with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Bennie Lee Adkins . . . . .Philadelphia, 06/2005
L.W. Laird, Jr. . . . . .Natchez, 06/2008
Raymond Long . . . . . .Yazoo City, 07/2008
Clelly R. Farmer . . . . . .Poplarville, 07/2008
Mike McBunch . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2009

Managerial Staff

Sondra Clark... . . . . ..Director
Sonia Tauthier . . . . . .Secretary

Duties and responsibilities. To enforce Mississippi laws regulating the profession of barbering, barber shops, and barber schools; to conduct examinations for applicants to receive license to practice as registered barbers; to inspect shops for proper sanitary conditions, licensing, and procedure; and inspectors are hired by board from each Supreme Court District.

STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

P.O. Box 775
Louisville 39339-0775
(662) 773-4478/(f) (662) 773-4433
E-mail: msbce@explorecom.net
Website: www.msbce.ms.gov
Executive officer: Dr. Thomas Walker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-6-3 (1972)

Six members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate. The state health officer serves as ex officio.

Board Members

Thomas F. Walker . . . . . .Louisville, 04/2005
L. Alfred Norville, Jr. . . . . .Jackson, 04/2006
Munson P. Hinman . . . . . .Pascagoula, 04/2007
Ralph D. Ritch . . . . . .Tupelo, 04/2008
Michael R. Patterson . . . . . .Cleveland, 04/2009
Brian Amy . . . . . .Mississippi State Department of Health, ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. To examine and license chiropractors in the State of Mississippi and to regulate those chiropractors as to the laws governing chiropractic in the State of Mississippi.

STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL SERVICES

3010 Lakeland Cove, Ste. W.
Flowood 39232
(601) 932-1973/(f) (601) 932-1901
E-mail: funeral_board@msbfs.state.ms.us
Website: www.msfuneralboard.com
Executive officer: Dolores Killebrew-Kinney
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-11-43 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate as statutorily designated.

Board Members

Judy McPeters . . . . . .Corinth, 06/2006
Arthur Willis . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Onetta S. Whitley . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2009
Theodore R. Williams, Jr. . . .Gulfport, 06/2006
Fred Nabors . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2005
John Charles Riles . . . . . .Vicksburg, 06/2007
A.W. (Bubba) Lang . . . . . .Gulfport, 06/2006
Melvin (Rusty) Daniels. . . . . .Laurel, 06/2007
E. Ted Ray . . . . . .Cleveland, 06/2006
Tommy Wells . . . . . .Batesville, 06/2009

Managerial Staff

Delores K. Kenney . . . . . .Executive Director
Diane S. Peacock . . . .Secretary Administrative

Duties and responsibilities. To provide a licensing process for all applicants for the practice of funeral service, funeral directing, and funeral establishments; and to take proper disciplinary action where warranted.

STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE

1867 Crane Ridge Dr., Ste. 200 B
Jackson 39216
(601) 987-3079/(f) (601) 987-4159
E-mail: mboard@msbml.state.ms.us
Website: www.msbml.state.ms.us
Executive officer: W. Joseph Burnett
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-43-3

Nine members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate from nominations of the Mississippi Medical Association.

Freda M. Bush, M.D. . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Joseph E. Johnston, M.D. .Mount Olive, 06/2006
William B. Harper, D.O. .Greenwood, 06/2008
Dwalia S. South, M.D. . . . . .Ripley, 06/2006
Larry B. Aycock, M.D. . . . .McComb, 06/2008
Philip T. Merideth, M.D. . . . .Jackson, 06/2008
A. Wallace Conerly, M.D. . . . .Jackson, 06/2010
Dewitt G. Crawford, M.D. .Louisville, 05/2010
Don Gibson . . . . . .Richland, 06/2010

Managerial Staff

Charles Moses . .Director, Investigative Division
Rhonda Freeman . .Director, Licensure Division
Kathy Fortenberry . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To license physicians, osteopathic physicians, and podiatrists. The Board is responsible for setting policies and professional standards regarding the practice of medicine and podiatric medicine, considering applications for licensure; conducting examinations for licensure; investigating legitimate drug traffic among medical practitioners under the State's Uniform Controlled Substances Act; conducting hearings on disciplinary matters involving violations of the State's Medical Practice Act; and keeping updated records on all licensed physicians, osteopathic physicians and podiatrists in the state.

STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

P.O. Box 24507
Jackson 39225-4507
(601) 605-5388/(f) (601) 605-9546
E-mail: lmcdivitt@mbp.state.ms.us
Website: www.mbp.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Leland McDivitt
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-21-75 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, five-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate from nominees submitted by statutorily designated organizations.

Board Members

Maretta Walley 07/2009
James C. Kelly 06/2010
William Thompson 06/2010
Robert R. Sullivan Mullins 06/2006
Roland E. (Eddie) Dubois 06/2007
Clarence E. Leflore 06/2008
Elizabeth Spencer 06/2008

Managerial Staff

Clay Williams .....Office Manager

Duties and responsibilities. To regulate the practice of pharmacy for the protection of the public.

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS

P.O. Box 9681
Mississippi State 39762-9681
(662) 325-2772/(f) (662) 325-1358
E-mail: borf@cfr.msstate.edu
Website: www.cfr.mssate.edu/borf
Executive officer: David K. Moody
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-36-9 (1972)

Seven members, serving five-year staggered terms; appointed by the Governor with the State Forester as ex officio.

Board Members

Tracy Scott Smith .....Collinsville, 06/2005
Jeffery L. Stewart .....Bentonia, 06/2006
David K. Moody .....Philadelphia, 06/2007
L. Kent Robbins .....Poplarville, 06/2006
Thomas B. Wood .....Tupelo, 06/2004
William W. Canale .....Oxford, 06/2003
J. Marvin Taylor .....Summit, 06/2003

Duties and responsibilities. The Board shall establish standards of practice and a code of ethics for registered foresters and provide for the enforcement thereof. It shall establish minimum requirements for professional continuing education. The Board will prepare a biennial roster showing the names, business addresses, and such other information as the Board may deem necessary of all registered foresters qualified under the provisions of the law. It shall issue, suspend, or revoke licenses as provided and take all actions necessary with reference thereto. It shall keep a record of the Board's proceedings and a register of all applications for registration.

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

P.O. Box 3
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-6160/(f) (601) 359-6159
E-mail: information@pepls.state.ms.us
Website: www.pepls.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Rosemary Brister
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 73-13-5 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; five engineers appointed by the Governor, one from each Supreme Court District and two at large, and two surveyors appointed by professional associations as statutorily designated.

Edward Springer .....Starkville, 04/2004
Tom W. Elliott, P.E. .....Oxford, 04/2004
Bill Waters .....Tupelo, 04/2006
James H. Kopf .....Jackson, 04/2006
Raymond M. Dearman ..Hattiesburg, 04/2006
Shannon Tidwell .....Ripley, 04/2006

Duties and responsibilities. To safeguard life, health, and property and to eliminate the practice of the unfit. To process and act on applications for registration; to hold written examinations; to publish roster of registrants; to adopt rules, policies, and a Code of Conduct; and, to take appropriate disciplinary actions against persons violating the statutes of the Code of Conduct.

STATE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD

1235 Echelon Pkwy.
Jackson 39213
(601) 321-3153/(f) (601) 321-6598
E-mail: dhudson@mdes.ms.us
Website: mdes.ms.gov
Executive officer: George Schloegel
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-153-7 (1972)

Committee membership is promulgated by the Mississippi Development Authority.

Committee Members

May Whittington .....Schlater, 04/2008
Lee Jarrell Davis .....Hattiesburg, 04/2008
Perry Lee .....Mendenhall, 04/2008
Travis Little .....Corinth, 04/2008
Charles B. Holder .....Bay Springs, 06/2008
Clark Holmes .....Ridgeland, 06/2008
Dennis Kokaisel .....Carrollton, 06/2008
Dwain Stevens .....Madison, 06/2008
Galen Medlin .....Madison, 06/2008
George A. Schloegel .....Gulfport, 06/2008
George Walker .....Clarksdale, 06/2008
Jim Lott .....Ridgeland, 06/2008
Jimmy Alexander .....Ripley, 06/2008
Larry Otis .....Tupelo, 06/2008
Lida Lambert .....McComb, 06/2008
Michael D. Thomas .....Ackerman, 06/2008
Jay C. Moon .....Madison, 06/2008
Paul Watson, Jr. .....Greenville, 06/2008
Richard K. Furr .....Wesson, 06/2008
Robert Clark .....Pickens, 06/2008
Ronald H. Aldridge .....Jackson, 06/2008
Stephen Will .....Corinth, 06/2008
Tim Davis .....Brandon, 06/2008
Trent A. Mulloy .....Laurel, 06/2008
George E. Lewis .....Clinton, 06/2008
James G. (Jim) Cassady .....Gautier, 06/2008
Joe D. Jones .....Raymond, 06/2008
Joel Yelverton .....Clinton, 06/2008
Roland Kell .....Pascagoula, 06/2008
Linda Gates .....West Point, 06/2008
Ronald E. Whitehead .....Ellisville, 06/2008
Yvonne Brown .....Tchula, 06/2008
Randy Read… .....Hattiesburg, 06/2008
Michael (Mike) Hall ....New Albany, 06/2008

Managerial Staff

Tommy Dale Favre, MDES ..Executive Director
H.S. McMillian, MDES .....Executive Director
Leland Speed, MDA .....Executive Director
Wayne Stonecypher, SBCJC ..Executive Director
Don Taylor, DHS .....Executive Director
Hank Bounds .....State Superintendent of Education, Executive Director

Duties and responsibilities. To promote improved career and education decision-making by individuals in the State of Mississippi. The Mississippi SOICC provides career development products and services that emphasize the career development of all ages and includes training of career development facilitators, career information users and occupational information producers in order to assist persons to make informed choices about their available career options.

WORKERS COMPENSATION COMMISSION

P.O. Box 5300
Jackson 39296-5300
(601) 987-4200/(f) (601) 987-4220
E-mail: mnelson@mwcc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mwcc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Ray C. Minor
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 71-3-85 (1972)

Three members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Lydia Quarles . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2007
Barney Schoby . . . . . .Natchez, 12/2008
Liles Williams . . . . . .Raymond, 12/2010

Administrative Judges

Homer Best
Melba Dixon
Tammy Harthcock
Mark Henry
Deneise Lott
Virginia Mounger
Linda Thompson
Cindy Wilson

Managerial Staff

JoAnn McDonald . . . . . .Commission Secretary
Nancy Haggard . . . . . .Accounting and Finance Director
Sue Warren . . . . . .Branch Director II
Earl LeMasters . . . . . .Systems Manager II
Joel Peeler . . . . . .Rehabilitation Director
Phyllis Clark . . . . . .Branch Director II
Sharon Jones . . . . . .Project Officer IV, Medical Cost Containment
Ann Turbville . . . . . .Self-Insurance Manager
Scott Clark . . . . . .Director of Legal Services

Duties and responsibilities. To enforce the Workers' Compensation law by performing all administrative functions including promulgating rules and regulations relating to the processing of workers' claims for work-related injuries; to exercise its judicial function in disputed claims by conducting necessary investigations and hearings; to receive evidence relevant to the issues and by entering orders awarding or denying compensation, requiring medical services, approving attorney's fees, and assessing penalties; to consider settlement agreements and requests for lump sum awards for injured employees. Appeals from Commission Orders may be taken through the state court system. Funds for the operational expenses are provided through annual assessments, charged insurance carriers, and self-insuring employers whose claims operations are supervised by the Commission.

Public Health

DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

239 N. Lamar St., Ste. 1101
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1288/(f) (601) 359-6295
E-mail: sandy.stokes@dmh.state.ms.us
Website: www.dmh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Albert R. Hendrix
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 41-4-3 (1972)

Nine members, serving staggered, seven-year terms; appointed by the Governor as designated by statute and with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

J. Richard Barry . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2012
William T. Buford . . . . . .Brookhaven, 07/2006
Robert Landrum . . . . . .Ellisville, 07/2007
Manda Griffin . . . . . .Bruce, 06/2008
David S. Hargrove . . . . . .Oxford, 06/2008
Kea Cassada . . . . . .Leland, 06/2012
Patricia Ainsworth . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2009

George G. Harrison . . . . . .Coffeeville, 06/2010
Henry A. Maggio . . . . . .Bay St. Louis, 06/2009

Managerial Staff
Randy Hendrix . . . . . .Executive Director
Edwin LeGrand III . . . . . .Deputy Director
Glen Kegley . . . . . .Chief of the Bureau of Administration
Roger McMurtry . . . . . .Chief of the Bureau of Mental Health

Duties and responsibilities. To coordinate, develop, improve, plan for, and provide all services for the mentally ill, emotionally disturbed, alcoholic, drug dependent, and mentally retarded persons of this state; to promote, safeguard, and protect human dignity, social well-being, and general welfare of those persons under the cohesive control of one coordinating and responsible agency so that mental health and mental retardation services and facilities may be uniformly provided more efficiently and economically to any resident of the State of Mississippi; and to further seek means for the prevention of these disabilities.

DIVISION OF MEDICAID – GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

239 N. Lamar St., Ste. 801
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-6050/(f) (601) 359-6048
E-mail: webmaster@dom.state.ms.us
Website: www.dom.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Bobby Moody
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-13-107 (1972)

Duties and responsibilities. To provide for a statewide system of medical assistance, health-care, remedial, and institutional services in accordance with the requirements for federal grants and other assistance under Titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act as amended; to be financed by state appropriations and federal matching funds administered by the Office of the Governor as provided in the Mississippi Medicaid Law.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL

570 E. Woodrow Wilson, Annex Bldg., 3rd Floor
Jackson 39215
(601) 576-7365/(f) (601) 576-7373
E-mail: ohrhelddesk@msdh.state.ms.us
Website: www.ems.doh.ms.gov
Executive officer: Keith Parker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Council
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 41-59-7 (1972)

Twenty-three members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor according to statutory designation.

Council Members
Brian W. Amy, M.D., M.H.A., M.P.H. . . .Jackson, ex officio
William T. Avara III, M.D. . .Pascagoula, 06/2006
William Billups III . . . . . .Meridian, 07/2005
John Brahan . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2006
David K. Cook, Sr. . . . . .Collins, 07/2006
Greg Davis . . . . . .Southaven, 06/2005
Sharon Dawson . . . . . .Woodville, 06/2004
Steve Delahousey . . . . . .Biloxi, 07/2004
Robert Gali, M.D. . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
John Paul Gates . . . . . .Rosedale, 06/2006
H.S. McMillan . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
John Nelson, M.D. . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2006
Charles Piggott, M.D. . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2006
John T. Riggs . . . . . .Brookhaven, 06/2006
Ikey Roebuck . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2005
Wade Spruill, Jr. . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2006
Gregory Timberlake, M.D. . . .Jackson, 07/2006
Marshall Tucker . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 07/2004
Christine Weiland . . . . . .Gulfport, 07/2004
Bennie Wright, M.D. . . . . .Cleveland, 07/2006
Ben Yarbrough, M.D. . . . . .Meadville, 07/2004

Duties and responsibilities. The board shall provide for the regulation and licensing of public and private ambulance service, inspection and issuance of permits for ambulance vehicles, training and certification of E.M.S. personnel, including drivers and attendants, the development and maintenance of a statewide E.M.S. records program, development and adoption of E.M.S. regulations, the coordination of an E.M.S. communications system, and other related E.M.S. activities.

HEALTHCARE TRUST FUND

P.O. Box 138
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3600/(f) (601) 359-2001
Website: www.treasury.state.ms.us
Executive officer: State Treasurer Tate Reeves
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-13-409 (1972)

Thirteen members; seven voting members, the State Treasurer or his designee, the Attorney General or his designee, one member from each congressional district to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate, serving staggered, five-year terms. Two non-voting members of the Senate appointed by the Lieutenant Governor; one non-voting advisory representative of the health care community and two non-voting advisory members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House.

Board Members

J.W. Burt . . . . . .Magnolia, 03/2006
Jeanette Self . . . . . .Starkville, 03/2007
Richard C. Hackett . . . . . .Nesbit, 03/2009
Bobby Martin . . . . . .Ripley, 01/2008
Representative Steve Holland . . . .Plantersville, 01/2008
Wallace Connerly . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Senator Travis L. Little . . . . . .Corinth, 01/2008
Senator Tom King . . . . . .Petal, 01/2008
Representative Joey Hudson . . . . . .Monticello, 01/2008
Charles A. Jordan, Jr. . . . . .Greenville, 03/2008
James M. Wheat . . . . . .Moss Point, 03/2010

Duties and responsibilities. To invest the funds in the Health Care Trust Fund and the Health Care Expendable fund in any of the investments authorized for the Mississippi Prepaid Affordable College Tuition Program under Miss. Code Ann. § 37-155-9 (1972).

INFANT MORTALITY TASK FORCE

Mississippi State Department of Health
570 E. Woodrow Wilson
Jackson 39215
(601) 576-8112/(f) (601) 576-7498
Website: www.msdh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Dr. Timothy Alford
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Task Force
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 41-89-1 through 41-89-5 (1972)

Eleven members, serving staggered, three-year terms; seven appointed by the Governor, one from each Congressional District and two at large; and the Speaker of the House. Ex officio members designated by statute.

Task Force Members

Avis Haynes . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Frederick A. May . . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2006
Timothy J. Alford . . . . . .Kosciusko, 06/2006
Sidney Bondurant . . . . . .Grenada, 01/2008

Duties and responsibilities. To serve an advocacy and public awareness role with the general public regarding maternal and infant health issues; conduct studies on maternal and infant health and related issues; recommend

policies to reduce Mississippi's infant mortality and morbidity rates and to improve the status of maternal and infant health; and report annually to the Governor and the Legislature regarding the progress made toward the goals outlined.

MISSISSIPPI HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT FACILITIES AUTHORITY

P.O. Box 1909
Madison 39130-1909
(601) 368-3229/(f) (601) 368-3200
Website: www.mhanet.org
Executive officer: S. Keith Winfield
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by the Authority
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 41-73-7 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate as statutorily designated.

David McNamara . . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2008
Mark A. Wall . . . . . .Madison, 06/2005
J. Patrick Barrett . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2007
David McNamara . . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2008
Michael O'Dell . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2008
Charles R. Russell . . . . . .McComb, 06/2006
D'Auby Schiel . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2008

Managerial Staff
Charles L. Harrison . . . . . Executive Director
Sheila Wood . . . . . Assistant Secretary/ Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. The Mississippi Hospital Equipment and Facilities Authority, administered by the Mississippi Hospital Association, was created in 1983 by the Mississippi Legislature to assist hospitals and other health care facilities in supplying capital at the lowest possible interest rates for financing improvements, renovations, equipment purchase, and expansion. The Authority is governed by seven members appointed by the Governor. The Authority serves as the issuer of tax-exempt and taxable debt securities on behalf of hospitals in order to make low-cost capital available to hospitals, and continues to be of vital importance to the financial stability of Mississippi hospitals as they expand and improve methods of providing affordable, high-quality health care to their patients.

MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Division of Medicaid
239 N. Lamar St., Ste. 801
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-6050/(f) (601) 359-6048
E-mail: webmaster@dom.state.ms.us
Website: www.dom.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Senator Alan Nunnelee, Chairman
Selection of executive officer: Alternates between the Chairmen of the House Medicaid Committee and Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-13-107

Eleven members, serving four-year terms, appointed by the Governor and by statute. Leadership of the committee alternates between the House and Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee Chairs by session.

Committee Members
Representative Johnny Stringer . . . . . .Louin, 01/2008
Representative Steve Holland . . . .Plantersville, 01/2008
Representative Leonard Morris . . . . .Batesville, 01/2008
Rodney Frothingham . . . . . .Ruleville, 01/2008
Tom Fenter . . . . . .Madison, 01/2008
Renia Dodson . . . . . .Greenville, 01/2008
Juanita Dong . . . . . .Ridgeland, 01/2008

Leland (Mac) McDivit . . . . . .Amory, 01/2008
Myrtis Franke . . . . . .Gulfport, 01/2008
Senator Alan Nunnlee . . . . . .Tupelo, 01/2008
Senator Jack Gordon . . . . . .Jackson, 01/2008
Senator Terry Burton . . . . . .Newton, 01/2008
Senator Nolan Mettetal . . . . . .Sardis, 01/2008

Duties and responsibilities. The Mississippi Medical Care Advisory Committee was established to advise the Division of Medicaid about health and medical care services according to federal regulation.

MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

P.O. Box 1700
Jackson 39215-1700
(601) 576-7400/(f) (601) 576-7364
Website: www.msdh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Brian W. Amy, M.D.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by the Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 41-3-1 (1972)

Thirteen members, serving staggered, six-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate, two from each 1980 Congressional District and three at large.

Board Members

R.A. Foxworth . . . . . .Brandon, 07/2006
H. Allen Gersh, M.D. . . . .Hattiesburg, 07/2006
Ted Cain . . . . . .Diamondhead, 07/2006
Walter C. Gough, M.D. . . . . .Drew, 07/2006
Alfred E. McNair, Jr., M.D. . . . .Ocean Springs, 06/2008
Mary Kim Smith . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2008
Norman Marshall Price . . . .McComb, 06/2008
Ruth Greer . . . . . .Holly Springs, 06/2008
Deborah Griffin . . . . . .Belzoni, 07/2010
Ellen Williams . . . . . .Senatobia, 07/2010
Larry Calvert . . . . . .Biloxi, 07/2010
Randy Russell . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2010
Cass Pennington . . . . . .Indianola, 07/2010

Managerial Staff

Danny Miller . . . . . .Deputy Director
Jim Craig . . . . . .Director, Health Protection
Daniel R. Bender . . . .Director, Health Services
Mitch Adcock . . . . . .Director, Finance & Administration

Duties and responsibilities. The mission of the State Department of Health is to promote and protect the health of the citizens of Mississippi. Statutorily, the Department has the authority to administer services and programs in vital statistics, maternal-child health, environmental health (individual onsite wastewater, public water supply, milk regulation, food sanitation, radiological health, and boiler pressure vessel safety), family planning, control of communicable diseases (including sexually transmitted diseases, tuberculosis, and general communicable diseases), newborn genetic screening, well child health services, immunizations, tuberculosis control, licensure of sixteen different health professions, health facilities licensure and certification, and certificate of need for health planning. The health department operates the county health department system of 110 sites, 18 regional home health offices, and 92 WIC distribution centers.

Public Safety

BOARD OF EMERGENCY TELECOMMUNICATIONS STANDARDS AND TRAINING

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-3050/(f) (601) 987-3086
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Billy V. White, Jr.
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 19-5-351 (1972)

Eleven members, appointed at the discretion of their agencies, with or without stipulated term limits.

Board Members

Brenda Gowdy . . . .Mississippi Chapter of the Association of Public Safety Communication Officials, Inc.
Gil Bailey . . . . . .Mississippi Chapter of the National Emergency Number Association
Lynn Buford . . . . . .Mississippi Association of Chiefs of Police
Kenneth Coleman . . . . . .Mississippi Fire Chief's Association
Ron Crew . . . . . .Mississippi Law Enforcement Officer's Training Academy
Jim Gaines . . . . .Criminal Information Center/ Mississippi Justice Information Center
Lamar Gardner . . . . . .Mississippians for Emergency Medical Service Association
Mike Grissett . . .Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers' Association
Terry Ishee . . . . . .State Fire Academy
Hon. William R. McGee . . . . . .Mississippi Sheriff's Association
Keith Parker . . . . . .State Board of Health/ Emergency Medical Services Division

Managerial Staff

Greg Abadie
Connie Ayers
Lamar Beasley
Tim Brown
Johnnie Martin
Keith May
Michael Nash
Karen Skadden
Susan Stewart
Leigh Vestal
Tonya Whitehead

Duties and responsibilities. To establish and implement a dynamic emergency telecommunications training program to deliver appropriate training at the beginning of and during a telecommunicator's career. In addition to programs established for emergency telecommunications, the Board of Emergency Telecommunications Standards and Training establishes a minimum standard of training and certification for personnel involved in the answering and dispatching of calls to law enforcement, fire, and emergency medical services.

BOILER AND PRESSURE VESSEL SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD

570 E. Woodrow Wilson, Ste. A-103
Jackson 39216
(601) 576-7917/(f) (601) 576-7623
E-mail: hmcewen@msdh.state.ms.us
Website: www.msdh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Henry McEwen
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-23-7 (1972)

Seven members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

C.T. Carley . . . . . .Starkville, 07/2006
Don Norman . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 05/2007
Gregory D. Weber, P.E. . . .Pascagoula, 07/2005
H. Gordon Henley . . . . . .Pascagoula, 07/2005
Nelson L. Douglass . . . . . .Jackson, 07/2004
Robert A. Johnston . . .Mississippi State, 07/2006
Thomas Aplin . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 07/2005

Duties and responsibilities. To establish a program of boiler and pressure vessel safety within the State Department of Health and formulate rules and regulations for the safe construction, installation, inspection, care, and good practice in the operation, maintenance, and repair of boiler and pressure vessels; to provide for the enforcement of the rules and regulations through the State Department of Health; to provide for the inspection of boiler and pressure vessels; fees to be charged therefore and the reports to be made therefore; to provide for inspection certificates; to provide for appeals; to provide a penalty for the provisions of this act.

BUREAU OF NARCOTICS

P.O. Box 7459
Jackson 39282
(601) 371-3600/(f) (601) 354-7527
E-mail: hq@mbn.state.ms.us
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Marshall Fischer
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 41-29-107 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Ronald J. Pitts . . . . . .Deputy Director
Ronnie Frazier . .Assistant Director, Operations
William G. Taylor, Jr. . . . . .Assistant Director, Operational Support
Tim Ruteledge . . . . . .Assistant Director, Administration

Duties and responsibilities. The council shall advise and assist in the creation of local crime stoppers programs; foster the detection of crime and encourage persons to report information about criminal acts; encourage news and other media to promote local crime stoppers programs and to inform the public of the functions of the council; assist local crime stoppers programs in forwarding information about criminal acts to the appropriate law enforcement agencies; and help law enforcement agencies detect and combat crime by increasing the flow of information to and between law enforcement agencies.

COUNTY JAIL OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-3050/(f) (601) 987-3086
E-mail: rdavis@mdps.state.ms.us
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Dr. Larry Bailey
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-4-3 (1972)

Nine members, serving as designated by statute.

Board Members

Dr. Larry Bailey . . . . . .Moorhead, State Board of Community Colleges
Hon. Ricky L. Banks . . . . . .Greenwood, Mississippi Association of Sheriffs
Hon. Frank Davis . . . . . .Port Gibson, Mississippi Association of Sheriffs
E. Cecil Hamilton . . . . . .Starkville, Mississippi Association of Supervisors
Willie Huff . . . . . .Jackson, Mississippi Municipal League
Lon Pepper . . . . . .Jackson, Mississippi Association of Chiefs of Police
Hon. William D. Sollie . . . . . .Meridian, Lauderdale County Sheriff's Department
Hon. M.E. (Toby) Trowbridge . . . . . .Canton, Madison County Sheriff's Department
David Winfield . . . . . .West Point, Mississippi Association of Supervisors

Managerial Staff
Greg Abadie
Connie Ayers
Lamar Beasley
Tim Brown
Johnie Martin
Keith May
Michael Nash
Karen Skadden
Susan Stewart
Leigh Vestal
Tonya Whitehead

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CRIME STOPPERS ADVISORY COUNCIL

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-3924/(f) (601) 987-3786
E-mail: cstoppers@dps.state.ms.us
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Margaret Cooper
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Council
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-39-3 (1972)

Five members, serving two-year terms; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Council Members
Chief Walter Tucker . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2006
Diane Sager. . . . . .Pass Christian, 06/2006
Elijah Wilson . . . . . .Oxford, 06/2006
Kenneth Wheeler . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2006
Marti Morgan . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2006

Managerial Staff
Margaret D. Cooper . . . . . .State Director

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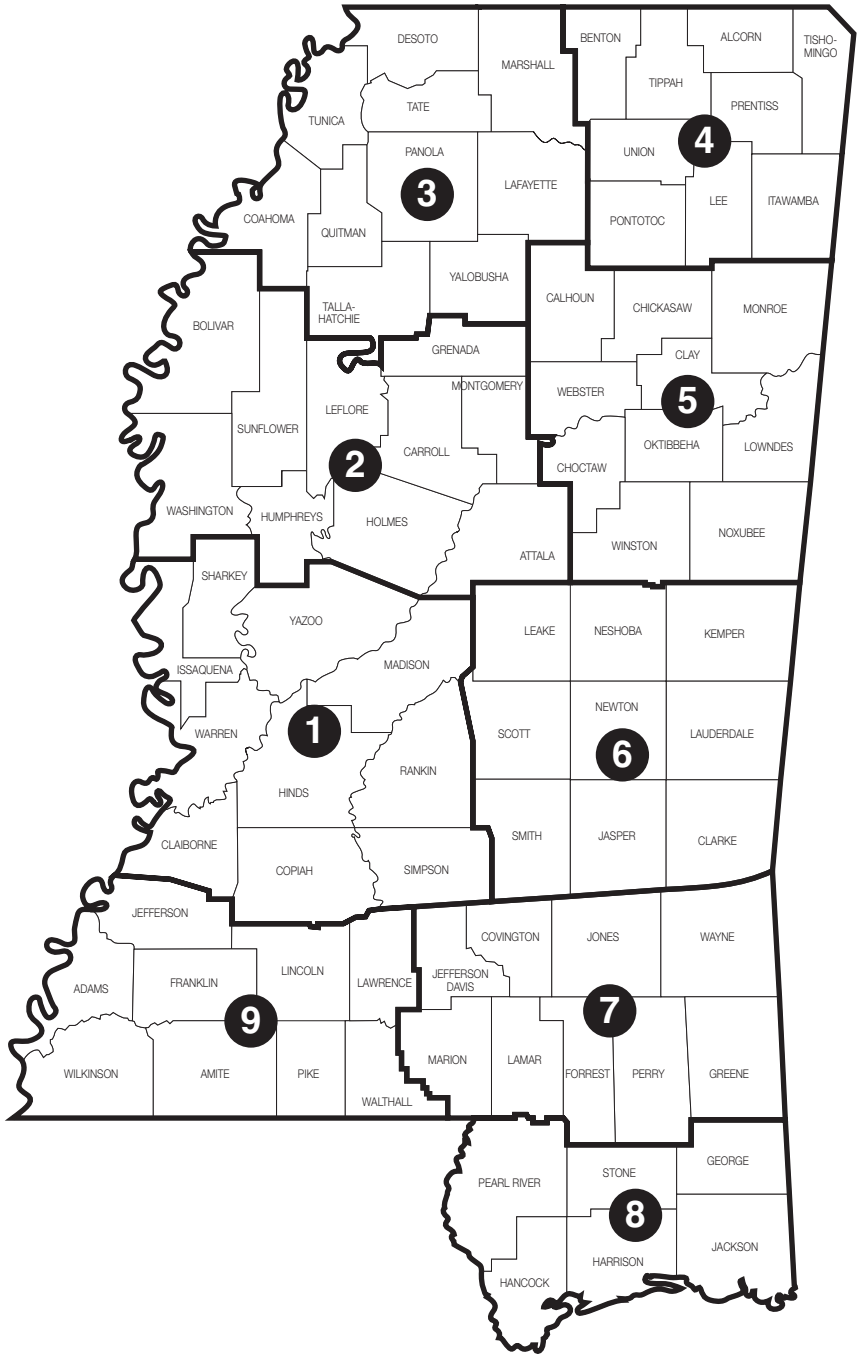
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

P.O. Box 958
Jackson 39205
(601) 987-1212
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: George Phillips
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-1-2 (1972)

Managerial Staff
Col. Marvin Curtis . .Director, Highway Patrol
Melvin Maxwell . . . . .Deputy Commissioner

Duties and responsibilities. To enforce traffic laws and regulations on the state and federal highways of Mississippi; issue and renew driver licenses; furnish qualified personnel upon request to assist in investigations; make available to any law enforcement agency the

Highway Patrol Districts



assistance of the Mississippi Crime Laboratory; make available to any community all the assistance needed in a disaster; staff and maintain the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers' Training Academy; assist and support the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics in enforcing the Mississippi Uniform Controlled Substances Act, as amended; and make available the assistance of the Medical Examiner's Office to any law enforcement agency having knowledge of death, the embalmer or other funeral home employee, and emergency medical technician, any relative or any other person present. The Criminal Information Center is the Statewide Central Repository for Criminal Records information for the State. The CIC houses the State of Mississippi's Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) and manages the Statewide Communication Network (MJIC).

JUVENILE JUSTICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

P.O. Box 9361
Jackson 39286-9361
(601) 922-1919/(f) (601) 922-1979
E-mail: alsyukon2@aol.com
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Alfred L. Martin, Jr.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 43-1-6 and 45-1-33 (1972)

Members' terms concurrent with the Governor's.

Committee Members

Jesse Bingham . . . . . .Brandon
Hilary M. Black . . . . . .Jackson
Hal Cartier . . . . . .Jackson
Robert Church . . . . . .Oxford
Rena Clark . . . . . .Kosciusko
Kathy Henry . . . . . .Brandon
Renee Porter . . . . . .Columbia
Ginger Smith . . . . . .Byram
Walter Tucker . . . . . .Brandon
Hon. Richard Wright . . . . . .Terry
Eric Williams . . . . . .Columbia
Janie C. Williams . . . . . .Tupelo
Rita Wray . . . . . .Brandon
Julie C. Yoste . . . . . .Oxford

Duties and responsibilities. The duties and responsibilities of the Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee include: 1) Supervise the preparation and administration of the multi-year Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Formula Grant Program Plan; 2) Review and comment on grant applications; 3) Review the progress and accomplishments of Juvenile Justice Projects; 4) Advise the Governor and the Legislature with respect to matters related to its function; and 5) Monitor the state's progress with the compliance mandates of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, as amended.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS STANDARDS AND TRAINING

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-3096/(f) (601) 987-3086
E-mail: mdps@dps.state.ms.us
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Billy Dwight
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-6-5 (1972)

Eleven members, five serving two-year terms; appointed by the Governor with the remainder as designated by statute.

Board Members

William Cole . . . .Mississippi State, Mississippi Campus Law Enforcement Officers Association
Marvin Curtis . . . . . .Jackson, Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol
Jack Gregory . . . . . .Jackson, Mississippi Association of Supervisors

Jim H. Johnson .....Tupelo, Lee County Sheriff's Department
Tommy J. Lee .....Gloster, Gloster Police Department
Stephen J. Mallory .....Gloster, The University of Southern Mississippi
Claiborne (Buddy) McDonald ....Hattiesburg, District 15
Glenn McKay .....Picayune, Warren County-Northern District
Gary L. Roads ....Vicksburg, City of Flowood
Ed Snyder .....Jackson, Office of the Attorney General
Gene Waldrop .....Madison, Madison Police Department

Managerial Staff
Greg Abadie
Connie Ayers
Lamar Beasley
Tim Brown
Johnnie Martin
Keith May
Michael Nash
Karen Skadden
Susan Stewart
Leigh Vestal
Tonya Whitehead

Duties and responsibilities. To establish and develop programs to implement minimum standards to enter the law enforcement profession; to establish a training program, to deliver appropriate training at the beginning of and during an officer's career. The Board also establishes training, uniform, and vehicle identification requirements for constables and training requirements for district attorney investigators.

MAGNOLIA STATE ENTERPRISES

(see Mississippi Prison Industries Corporation)

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

723 N. President St.
Jackson 39202
(601) 359-5621/(f) (601) 359-5680
E-mail: cepps@mdoc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdoc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Christopher B. Epps
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor.
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 47-5-8 (1972)

Managerial Staff
John Grubbs .....Deputy Commissioner of Community Services
Christopher Epps ..Deputy Commissioner for Administration and Finance
Rick McCarty .....Deputy Commissioner for Administration and Finance

Duties and responsibilities. To provide for the care, custody, study, training, supervision and treatment of adult offenders committed to the department; to plan, develop, coordinate, and manage a statewide comprehensive correctional system.

MISSISSIPPI EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

P.O. Box 4501
Jackson 39296-4501
(601) 352-9100; 1-800-445-4326/(f) (601) 352-8314
E-mail: rlatham@mema.ms.gov
Website: www.mema.ms.gov
Executive officer: Robert R. Latham, Jr.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 33-15-7 (1972)

Managerial Staff
Thomas Michael Womack ....Deputy Director
Chuck Carter .....Support Services Bureau Director
Brenda Rembert ....Plans, Training & Exercise Bureau Director
Tom McAllister .....Response & Recovery Bureau Director
Robert Boteler ....Mitigation Bureau Director

Duties and responsibilities. To carry out the program for emergency management for the State which includes "the preparation for and carrying out of all emergency measures and functions. To prevent, minimize, and repair injury, damage, and loss resulting from disasters or emergencies caused by, or that would be caused by, enemy attack, sabotage, or other hostile action, or by natural, manmade, or technological causes, and the recovery therefrom." To accomplish this the agency maintains liaison with agencies of the state and federal governments, local emergency management agencies and organizations, and emergency management agencies in other states.

MISSISSIPPI INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

P.O. Box 79
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-3569/(f) (601) 359-2474
E-mail: george.dale@mid.state.ms.us
Website: www.doi.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Insurance Commissioner George Dale
Selection of executive officer: Elected by voters
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 83-1-1 (1972)

Managerial Staff

David Lee Harrell . . . . .Deputy Commissioner
Nellie Mitchell . . . . . .Rating Director
Bea Smith . . . . . .Licensing Director
Tressa Coward . . . . . .Chief Financial Examiner
Cathy Vernon . . . .Consumer Services Director
Millard Mackey . . .Chief Deputy Fire Marshal
Larry Bar . . . . . .State Fire Coordinator
Leon Boone . . . . . .LC Gas Director

Duties and responsibilities. To execute all laws relative to all insurance companies, corporations, associations, or orders and their agents and adjusters. In performance of this charge, the Insurance Department licenses and regulates practices of all insurance companies, health maintenance organizations, burial associations, fraternal societies, and associations of all types, including motor clubs, bail bondsmen, and their agents, agencies, and adjusters. In recent years, the Insurance Commissioner has also been charged with the licensing of manufacturers and dealers of mobile homes and regulating practices of same, including inspection of their manufacturing techniques and standards, and enforcing the L.P. gas inspection program. The 1978 Legislature enacted a standard fire code which is administered by the Commissioner of Insurance through the facilities of the fire marshal division of the agency. The Insurance Commissioner also serves as State Fire Marshall.

MISSISSIPPI LEADERSHIP COUNCIL ON AGING

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-3083/(f) (601) 987-3085
E-mail: wparker@dps.state.ms.us
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Wayne Parker
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-53-3 (1972)

Thirteen members, serving until replaced; as designated by statute, subject to advice and consent of the Senate.

Council Members

Jack C. McMillen . . . . . .Senatobia
Benjamin F. Harper . . . . . .Jackson
Don Sullivan . . . . . .Jackson
David Lindley . . . . . .Starkville
James Newman . . . . . .Meadville
Dolph Bryan . . . . . .Starkville
Bill Slade . . . . . .Pearl
Leyser Morris-Hayes . . . . . .Jackson
Bruce Brice . . . . . .Natchez
Marion Dunn-Tutor . . . . . .Jackson
Floyd Williams . . . . . .Madison
Douglas Stewart . . . . . .Vicksburg

Managerial Staff

Carla Taylor .....Projects officer

Duties and responsibilities. To provide a means of coordinating efforts of law enforcement and social service efforts for protecting senior citizens from crime. This function includes: to increase public understanding and involvement of crime against senior citizens; to increase the skills of senior citizens in recognizing and preventing such crime; to implement specific strategies for crime prevention; and to provide victim assistance. The primary means of providing this assistance is through the award of grants to local entities meeting the requirements and standards set by the Council.

PAROLE BOARD

201 W. Capitol St., Ste. 800
Jackson 39201
(601) 354-7716/(f) (601) 354-7725
E-mail: dlcooper@mdoc.state.ms.us
Website: www.mpb.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Glen Hamilton
Selection of executive officer: Five members serving at the will and pleasure of the Governor; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 47-7-5 (1972)

Five members serving at the will and pleasure of the Governor; appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

Board Members

Kareem West .....Jackson,
Buddy Tolbert .....Greenville
Glen Hamilton .....Starkville
Shannon Warnock .....Ridgeland
Bobbie Thomas .....Gulfport

Managerial Staff

Stephanie Skipper ...Administrative Secretary
Edna Bland .....Administrative Secretary

Duties and responsibilities. The exclusive responsibility for the granting of parole provided by Miss. Code Ann. § 47-7-5 (1972) is to have exclusive responsibility for investigating clemency recommendation upon request of the Governor and to have exclusive authority for the revocation of parole. To examine within one year after the admission all pertinent information regarding each offender relating to the circumstance of his/her offense, previous, social history and criminal record, his/her conduct, and employment and attitude while in custody of the department , and the reports of such physical and mental examinations as have been made: to make rules and regulations for the conduct of persons heretofore or hereafter placed on parole under the supervision of the Department of Corrections.

PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING

3750 I-55 N. Frontage Rd.
Jackson 39211
(601) 987-4990/(f) (601) 987-4154
Website: www.dps.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Dr. Billy V. White, Jr.
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-1-2 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Billy Terrell .....Director,
Office of Highway Safety
Herbert Terry .....Director,
Office of Justice Programs
Jimmy Houston .....Director,
Office of Standards and Training
Wayne Parker .....Director,
Office of Leadership Council on Aging

Duties and responsibilities. To administer all federally funded highway safety programs designed to reduce death, injury, and property damage caused by traffic crashes. To coordinate

various related highway safety project initiatives and grant programs. To give information to the Legislature about highway safety issues.

STATE FIRE ACADEMY

1 Fire Academy USA
Jackson 39208
(601) 932-2444/(f) (601) 932-2819
E-mail: fireacademy@msfa.state.ms.us
Website: www.doi.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Terry Ishee
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 45-11-7 (1972)

Managerial Staff

Terry Ishee . . . . . .Instructor Chief
Pam Ladner . . . . . .Accounting Director
Laura Allen . . . . . .Personnel Director
Jim Ranager . . . .Senior Systems Administrator
Pam Lee . . . . . .Public Documents Coordinator

Duties and responsibilities. To be responsible for the training and education of persons engaged in municipal, county, and industrial fire protection; to develop a state reporting system for all fires; and to train local law enforcement officials in arson investigation.

Public Utilities

MISSISSIPPI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

501 N. West St.
Jackson 39201
(601) 961-5400/(f) (601) 961-5469
Website: www.psc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Brian U. Ray, Executive Secretary
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 77-1-1 et seq. (1972)

Three Commissioners, one from each Supreme Court District, serving four year terms; elected by the voters.

Commission Members

Commissioner Bo Robinson . . . . . .Hamilton, 12/2007
Commissioner Nielsen Cochran . . . . . .Byram, 12/2007
Commissioner Michael Callahan . . .Hattiesburg, 12/2007

Managerial Staff

Lynn Carlisle . . . . . .Legal
Joel Bennett . . . . . .Finance and Personnel
Mark McCarver . . . . . .Gas Pipeline Safety
Hugh Stevens . . . . . .Information Systems

Duties and responsibilities. To regulate all communication, electric, gas water and sewer utilities, which are under the supervision and regulation of the Commission. It is the Commission's responsibility to see that rates and charges for service are just and reasonable, that the approved rate schedules are adhered to, that the service rendered is reasonably adequate and that the facilities constructed or acquired are required for the convenience and necessity of the public.

PUBLIC UTILITIES STAFF

P.O. Box 1174
Jackson 39215
(601) 961-5493/(f) (601) 961-5804
E-mail: bobby.waites@psc.state.ms.us
Website: www.psc.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Robert G. Waites
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor with advice and consent of the Senate
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 77-2-7 et seq. (1972)

Managerial Staff

Jacqueline Leverette . .Administrative Assistant
Randy Tew . . .Director, Administrative Services
Chris Garbacz . . . . . .Director, Economics and Planning
Virden Jones . . . . . .Director, Electric, Gas, & Communications
George Fleming . . . . . .General Counsel
Mike McCool . . . . . .Director, Water & Sewer

Duties and responsibilities. To represent the interests of ratepayers, utilities, and state agencies; investigate complaints; and advise the Public Service Commission.

Quality of Life

GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON PHYSICAL FITNESS AND SPORTS

P.O. Box 55913
Jackson 39296
(601) 576-7742/(f) (601) 576-7444
E-mail: cward@msdh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Joseph (Joe) Cole, Chair
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 7-1-555 (1972)

Twenty-five members, serving staggered, four-year terms; appointed by the Governor according to statutory designation.

Commission Members

Tammy Amis . . . . . .Flora, 06/2006
Amy Batson . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Ray Gildea . . . . . .Madison, 06/2006
Creda Stewart . . . . . .Choctaw, 06/2005
Lee R. Dorr . . . . . .Madison, 06/2005
Ronald J. Cain . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 06/2005
Cheryl Hearst Carr . . . . . .Madison, 06/2005
Joseph (Joe) Cole . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Charles Barron . . . . . .Friars Point, 05/2005
Dan Brown . . . . . .Brookhaven, 06/2006
Jerry Cotton . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Walter G. Howell . . . . . .Clinton, 05/2005
Shanna Mayes . . . . . .Marks, 06/2006
Paul McNeill . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Mary Frances Waters . . . . . .Clinton, 06/2006
Joyce Meeks Yates . . . . . .Eupora, 06/2006
Martin Epps . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Chris Grussaute . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2006
Don Gober . . . . . .Brandon, 06/2006
Paula McBay . . . . . .Bay Springs, 05/2006
Dennis Phillips . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 05/2006
Jennifer E. Jones . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Alan Penman . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Ann Keidke . . . . . .Madison, 05/2005

Affiliate or Ex Officio Members

Hank Boerner . . . . . .Tupelo
April Luke . . . . . .Meridian
Patrice Lovdahl . . . . . .Hattiesburg
Andrew Ketchings . . . . . .Jackson
Cathy Ward . . . . . .Jackson

Duties and responsibilities. To promote, network, implement, and formulate preventive health, recreational, and sports programs for schools, senior citizens, special population preschool children, and young and mature adults on a statewide basis; to coordinate with whatever federal grants and/or programs that are conducive to supporting any and all healthcare cost containment initiatives relevant to the State of Mississippi; and to present a clearinghouse forum for information that can be efficiently disseminated to Mississippi's citizens regardless of age or ethnic and economic persuasions.

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

P.O. Box 352
Jackson 39205
(601) 359-4480/(f) (601) 359-4477
E-mail: consumerservices@mdhs.state.ms.us
Website: www.mdhs.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Donald Taylor
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Council
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-1-2 (1972)

Duties and responsibilities. To provide services and assistance to children and families statewide which improves the quality of life for those Mississippians. To promote integration of the many services and programs within its various divisions at the client level, thus improving the efficiency and effectiveness of service delivery and providing easier access to clients. Programs and services include TANF, Child Support Enforcement, Food Stamps, Child Care Programs, Surplus Commodities, Low Income

Home Energy and Weatherization Assistance, Community Service Block grants, Aging and Adult Services, Child Abuse and Neglect Services, Foster Care, Adoption Services, and Juvenile Correctional Services.

COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

1101 Robert E. Lee Bldg.
239 N. Lamar, Ste. 1101
Jackson 39201
(601) 359-1270/(f) (601) 359-5330
E-mail: grenaye.sullivan@dmh.state.ms.us
Website: www.dmh.state.ms.us
Executive officer: Edwin Butler
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Council
Reference: Executive Order No. 777

All members are appointed by the Governor with for two, three, or four year terms. At least one-half of the members of the council will be persons who have disabilities or who are the parents, guardians, or immediate relatives of such persons; additional members include representatives from principal State agencies, a higher education training facility, Mississippi University Affiliated Programs, the Mississippi Protection and Advocacy System, local service agencies, a local non-governmental agency, and a private, non-profit organization concerned with services for persons with developmental disabilities.

Council Members

Alma W. Turner . . . . . .Columbus, 12/2008
Charles R. Stringer . . . . .Long Beach, 12/2008
Jane Taylor . . . . . .Hickory Flat, 12/2008
Jim Gallaspy . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 12/2008
Ruby Wadford . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Charles Daniel McGaughy . .Brandon, 12/2008
Ashley Lacoste . . . . . .Ridgeland, 12/2006
Robert Escudero . . . . . .Poplarville, 12/2006
Mary H. Allsup . . . . . .Macon, 12/2006
Mary Moore . . . . . .Crystal Springs, 12/2006
Vicki B. Killingsworth . . . . . .Prentiss, 12/2006
Ann Moody . . . . . .Louisville, 12/2008
Annette J. Rinehart . . . . . .Booneville, 12/2008
Bob McDonald . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Bobby Moody . . . . . .Louisville, 12/2008
Charles Stringer . . . . . .Long Beach, 12/2008
Charlotte Myers . . . . . .Ridgeland, 12/2008
H. Glenn Sanford . . . . . .Madison, 12/2008
Marion Dunn-Tutor . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Jane Taylor . . . . . .Hickory Flat, 12/2008
Melody Bounds . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Ruth Myers . . . . . .Potts Camp, 12/2008
Danny Bender . . . . . .Terry, 12/2008
Becky Floyd . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008
Jane Z. Siders . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 12/2008
Earline Evans . . . . . .Meridian, 12/2008
Jerry Mayo . . . . . .Sumrall, 12/2008
Shirley J. Miller . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2008

Managerial Staff

Grenaye Sullivan . . . .Administrative Assistant

Duties and responsibilities. To develop a consumer and family-centered, comprehensive system and a coordinated array of culturally competent services, supports and other assistance designed to achieve independence, productivity, integration, and inclusion into the community for individuals with developmental disabilities.

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION FOR VOLUNTEER SERVICE

3825 Ridgewood Rd., Ste. 601
Jackson 39211
(601) 432-6779/(f) (601) 432-6790
E-mail: mcvs@mcvs.org
Website: www.mcvs.org
Executive officer: Marsha Meeks Kelly
Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Governor
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-55-5 (1972)

From 15 to 25 members serving staggered, three-year terms; appointed by the Governor.

Commission Members

Ron Love . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2005
Betsy Bradley . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2005
Elizabeth Overman . . . . . .Clinton, 10/2005
Larry Box . . . . . .Starkville, 10/2005
Mary Cromartie . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 10/2005
Mike Ratliff . . . . . .Hattiesburg, 10/2005
Robin Costa . . . . . .Southaven, 10/2005
Sid Davis . . . . . .Mendenhall, 10/2005
Quint Withers . . . . . .Jackson, 12/2005
Amy Whitten . . . . . .Oxford, 10/2006
Miriam C. Williams . . . . . .Jackson, 10/2006
Shirley French . . . . . .Marks, 10/2006
Susan Wingert . . . . . .Batesville, 10/2006
Alphonso Mayfield . . . . . .Lexington, 10/2006
Patty Cappaert . . . . . .Vicksburg, 10/2006
Charles M. Ueltschey . . . . . .Gulfport, 10/2007
Joe A. Haynes . . . . . .Ridgeland, 10/2007
Lee Norris . . . . . .Tupelo, 10/2007
Lenoir Stanley . . . . . .Corinth, 10/2007
Diann Payne . . . . . .Gautier, 10/2007
Billy Campbell . . . . . .Meridian, 10/2007
Duane Dillon . . . . . .Tylertown, 10/2007

Duties and responsibilities. To advance and support community service, service-learning, and volunteerism among Mississippians of all ages, incomes, abilities, and ethnic origins; to establish and develop policy communicated through Mississippi's Strategic Three-Year Plan for National and Community Service; and to provide training, technical, administrative assistance to potential subgrantees of National and Community Service projects and to other volunteer agencies.

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

48000 McWillie Cir.
Jackson 39206
(601) 982-1593/(f) (601) 982-1594
E-mail: bwfletcher1@aol.com
Executive officer: Dr. Betty Fletcher
Selection of executive officer: Elected by Commission
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-59-3

Thirteen members serving a staggered, four-year terms; appointed as statutorily designated by the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House, and the Attorney General with advice and consent of the Senate.

Commission Members

Carla Garrett* . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2004
Bettye Ward Fletcher . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Onetta Starling Whitley . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Nancy N. Horton . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2005
Norma S. Bourdeaux . . . . . .Meridian, 06/2008
Patti B. Marshall . . . . . .Ridgeland, 06/2008
Jill Childress . . . . . .Summit, 06/2006
Representative Frances Fredericks . . .Gulfport, 06/2007
Rebecca Rutkowski . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2007
Carol Burnett . . . . . .Ocean Springs, 06/2007
Eloise Scott . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2007
**Serving until successor is named*

Duties and responsibilities. To advise and consult with the executive and legislative branches on policies, programs, and practices affecting the status of women in Mississippi; to conduct research and make public findings.

MISSISSIPPI HOME CORPORATION

735 Riverside Dr.
Jackson 39202
P.O. Box 23369
Jackson 39225-3369
(601) 718-4642/(f) (601) 718-4643
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Selection of executive officer: Appointed by Board
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 43-33-704

Nine members, serving staggered, six-year terms; six appointed by the Governor, two from each Supreme Court District, with advice and consent of the Senate; three by the Lieutenant Governor, one from each Supreme Court District.

Board Members

John Thomas . . . . . .McComb, 05/2004
Wade Jones . . . . . .Meridian, 05/2004
Ellen Short . . . . . .Tupelo, 04/2006
H. Gordon Myrick . . . . . .Gulfport, 05/2006
Karen Kennedy . . . . .Lake Cormorant, 05/2006
Elizabeth Joachim . . . . . .Biloxi, 06/2006
Luther Millsaps . . . . . .Tupelo, 06/2008
Charles McClelland . . . . . .Jackson, 06/2010
William D. (Bill) Sones . . .Brookhaven, 04/2010

Managerial Staff

Scott Spivey . . . . . .Vice President
Teresa Newell . . . . . .Assistant Vice President

Duties and responsibilities. To make a safe and decent home available for every Mississippian who lacks one through creation and coordination of existing resources. Duties include single family and multi-family programs, planning, and research.

STATE DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATIVE SERVICES

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Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37- 33-153 and 37-33-155 (1972)

Seven members, serving a staggered, five-year terms; two appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate; remaining five members as designated by statute.

Board Members

Michael Sullivan . . . . . .Nettleton, 06/2006
Jack G. Virden . . . . . .Vicksburg, 07/2009
Donald Taylor . . . . .Mississippi Department of Human Services
Albert Randel Hendrix . . . . . .Department of Mental Health
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Brian Amy, M.D. . . . . .Mississippi State Department of Health
Vacant at time of printing . . .State Department of Education

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Lavonda Hart . . . . . .Director, Office of Special Disability Programs
Gary Neely . . . . . .Director, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
Michael Gandy . . . . . .Director, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation for the Blind

Duties and responsibilities. To provide rehabilitation services authorized by law to disabled individuals who are eligible for vocational rehabilitation services; to provide independent living services to enable disabled individuals to function more independently in their home and community; to provide for the processing and rendering of dessions on applications for Social Security Disability and Supplement Security Income Disability; to provide for the appointment of an Executive Director of the Department of Rehabilitation Services to administer its program.

STATE REHABILITATION COUNCIL

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Selection of executive officer: Selected by Council
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-33-153 and 37-33-155 (1972)

Council Members

Bruns M. Myers III . . . . . .Chairperson
Presley Posey . . . . . .Co-Chairperson
Vivian Berryhill
Kerry M. Blythe
Jack Curry
John Wayne Jabour
Dan McGaughy
Mary Meruvia
Kay Rucker
Jim Staggs
Jim Stringer
Martha B. Weston
H.S. McMillan, ex officio

Managerial Staff

Michael Gandy . . . . . .Director, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation for the Blind

Duties and responsibilities. Review, analyze, and advise the designated state unit regarding the performance of the responsibilities relating to: eligibility, extent, scope and effectiveness of services provided, and functions performed by state agencies that affect or that potentially affect the ability of individuals with disabilities in achieving rehabilitation goals and objectives; assist with development of state plan; conduct a review and analysis of the effectiveness of and consumer satisfaction; prepare and submit an annual report to the Governor; coordinate with other councils in the state.

STATEWIDE INDEPENDENT LIVING COUNCIL MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION SERVICES

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Selection of executive officer: Selected by Council
Reference: Miss. Code Ann. § 37-33-91 (1972)

A federal program administered by the Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services. Twelve members, appointed by Governor.

Council Members

Presley Posey, Chair . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2004
Frederick Bell . . . . . .Philadelphia, ex officio
Bruns M. Myers III . . . . . .Madison, 04/2004
Lillie Williams . . . . . .Glen Allan, 04/2004
Maria Angelina Sparks . . . . .Madison, 04/2004
Michele Gong . . . . . .Greenwood, 04/2004
Walter Blalock, Jr. . . . . .Jackson, 04/2004
April Sharp . . . . . .Oxford, 10/2005
Barbara Hadnott . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2005
Cindy Montgomery . . . . . .Jackson, 04/2004
Laura Mullins . . . . . .Canton, 04/2005
Le Ron Jackson . . . . . .Byram, 10/2005
Mandy Rogers . . . . . .Madison, 10/2005
Michele Bahret . . . . . .Biloxi, 04/2005
Ed Butler . . . . . .Jackson, 05/2006

Managerial Staff

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Shelia C. Browning . . . . . .Deputy Director, Mississippi Department of Rehabilitative Services, ex officio
Vicki Bond . .Older Blind Independent Living, MDRS, ex officio
Ed Butler . . . . . .Mississippi Department of Rehabilitative Services, ex officio
Tonya Bradley . . . . .Mississippi Department of Rehabilitative Services, ex officio

Duties and responsibilities. To oversee the Independent Living Program for the State of Mississippi; serve as the liaison between the Department to Rehabilitation Services, Office Special Disability Programs, Division of Independent Living, and the Centers for Independent Living; develop in conjunction with the above a state plan for the Independent Living Program in accordance with Chapter I of the Title VII of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended.

Information current as of July 2005.

Mississippi Elections

"Beyond casting a ballot, the most important thing one can do is to become actively involved in the political process on the local level."

Dr. Leslie B. McLemore

Director of the Fannie Lou Hamer Institute on Citizenship and Democracy - Jackson State University

The importance of the every day citizen to the electoral process is crucial. Citizens can play many roles in the process – from becoming candidates themselves to volunteering at polling precincts or actively campaigning for particular candidates. Civic involvement at all levels is essential to the strength and effectiveness of our electoral process; but the most basic and important actions that citizens can take are to register to vote and exercise their rights in participatory government on Election Day.

Voting elicits probably the greatest sense of empowerment a citizen can feel at any one time. I remember when I registered to vote in DeSoto County in 1962. After filling out the extensive registration form, interpreting the constitution, and responding to all the other requirements, I walked out of that courthouse in Hernando, Mississippi feeling so good! I felt even better when a few weeks later I received a notice in the mail which stated that I had officially passed the registration test and was a registered voter. I could vote! My voice and my opinion would be equal to those of every other citizen in the state. I returned to college in the fall of 1962, feeling like a first class citizen. The emotion was quite amazing.

Beyond casting a ballot, the most important thing one can do is to become actively involved in the political process on the local level. I suggest that there is nothing more empowering than engaging oneself in the community where one lives, on the ground, at the grassroots level – getting involved in some issue to improve the life chances of one's fellow citizens.

In the past few decades, we've watched voter registration numbers and voter turnout across the state and the country steadily fall. I believe the decline is partly because we, as citizens, have become victims of our own successes. Both in small town Mississippi and in the larger metropolitan areas, Mississippians have made remarkable progress in terms of unfettered participation in politics, in education, and in the state's economy. Barriers blocking access to the ballot boxes have been removed for most of our citizens thanks to the efforts of those heroes who fought for equal access and equal opportunity for all of the state's citizens.

A record-high 1.1 million Mississippians voted in the 2004 General Election. This reversal of past trends was heartening for those of us who understand the power of the ballot.

ESSAY BY DR. LESLIE B. MCLEMORE,
POLITICAL SCIENTIST AND
JACKSON CITY COUNCILMAN

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Open, honest, and accessible elections are vital to our democracy.

Every year is an election year in Mississippi. Elections for all state offices and most county-level offices are held in years preceding presidential elections. Most municipal elections are conducted in years following presidential elections.

2002 Help America Vote Act

On October 29, 2002, President George W. Bush signed the Help America Vote Act (HAVA) into law. HAVA is a federal response to the irregularities in voting systems and processes seen in certain states during the 2000 Presidential Election. HAVA requires each state to develop a comprehensive state plan for implementing mandatory changes in the administration of elections. The impact of HAVA on the state includes these areas: a centralized statewide voter registration system, replacing punch card and lever voting machines, improving voter education and poll worker training, requiring provisional ballots, and mandating that at least one voting machine be available per polling place which is accessible to voters with disabilities.

The Right To Vote

Registration Qualifications: Every United States citizen has the right to vote in Mississippi elections as long as he or she is:

- A resident of Mississippi and the county, city, or town for 30 days
- 18 years of age or older
- Not declared mentally incompetent by a court
- Not convicted in a Mississippi court of arson, armed robbery, bigamy, bribery, carjacking, embezzlement, extortion, felony bad check, felony shoplifting, forgery, larceny, murder, obtaining money or goods under false pretense, perjury, rape, receiving stolen property, robbery, statutory rape, theft, timber larceny, or unlawful taking of motor vehicle, unless having been pardoned or had rights of citizenship restored by Governor, or had suffrage restored by the Legislature

Registering to Vote: Register to vote in person with either the county registrar (usually the circuit clerk), the municipal clerk, or with the registrar or deputy registrar at a duly authorized satellite registration location. Registrars must accept registration at any time during regular office hours. The registration form is kept as a permanent record. Registration must be accomplished at least 30 days prior to the first election in which a citizen wishes to vote.

Mail-in voter registration forms are available at the Secretary of State's Office, in public libraries, drivers license examining stations, circuit clerk's offices, municipal clerk's offices, public schools, and online at the Secretary of State's website, www.sos.state.ms.us. Additionally, voters may register at certain state and federal agencies. The application must be postmarked or delivered to the registrar 30 days prior to the first election in which a citizen wishes to vote.

Polling places and precincts are assigned to registered voters by the voter registrar. Voters who move from one precinct to another within the county or city should submit a written change of address notice to the voter registrar. Voters who move from county to county within the state must re-register in the new county of residence.

No Mississippian is required to declare a party preference in order to register to vote.

Voting absentee: Registered voters who meet one of the following criteria can apply for and vote by absentee ballot:

- Away from county of residence on election day
- 65 years of age or older
- Temporarily or permanently physically disabled
- Student, teacher, or administrator, or a spouse and/or dependent whose studies or employment requires absence from the home county on election day
- Must be at place of work during the times the polls are open
- Member of the armed forces, a spouse, and/or dependent of military personnel
- Member of the Merchant Marines or Red Cross, a spouse, and/or dependent of a member
- Hospitalized, disabled war veteran, a spouse, and/or dependent of a hospitalized veteran
- Civilian attached to and serving outside the U.S. with any branch of the armed forces, Merchant Marines, or Red Cross or a spouse and/or dependent
- Parent, spouse, and/or dependent who will be with a temporarily, or permanently, disabled individual who is hospitalized outside his/her county of residence or more than 50 miles away from his/her residence, on election day
- Member, spouse, or dependent of Mississippi's Congressional delegation

Applications for absentee ballots are accepted during regular working hours at the voter registrar's office beginning 60 days before an election. Applications also are accepted at the voter registrar's office from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. on the two Saturdays before an election. Absentee balloting begins 45 days before the election.

Only registered voters who meet any one or more of the following criteria may apply for and cast absentee ballots by mail:

- 65 years of age or older
- Temporarily residing outside the county of residence
- Parent, spouse, and/or dependent who will be with a temporarily, or permanently, disabled individual who is hospitalized outside his/her county of residence, or more than 50 miles away from his/her residence, on election day
- Permanently or temporarily physically disabled

Mail-in absentee ballot applications must be notarized and officially sworn to by any one of the following:

- Notary public
- U.S. Postmaster
- Assistant U.S. Postmaster
- U.S. Postal Supervisor
- Clerk in charge of a contract postal station
- Any officer having authority to administer an oath or take an acknowledgment

Permanently physically disabled voters may receive absentee ballots on a continuing basis by submitting a regular absentee ballot application along with a statement signed and sworn to by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner to the voter registrar.

Members of the military and Mississippi citizens residing overseas may mail or fax a Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) to the voter registrant. The post card is obtained from their military command or employer and can be used to either apply for an absentee ballot, apply to register as a voter, or both. In addition, Mississippi law allows military and overseas voters to receive by fax from the registrar an absentee ballot and to return by fax to the registrar a voted absentee ballot. Absentee ballots can also be scanned and emailed to the Secretary of State's Office at uocava@sos.state.ms.us. The Secretary of State's Office will relay the ballots to the appropriate circuit clerk's office. If time constraints dictate, a military or overseas voter may use a federal write-in ballot for voting.

Absentee ballots voted in the office of the voter registrar must be cast by noon on Saturday preceding a Tuesday election.

Mailed, completed absentee ballots must be received by the voter registrar before 5:00 p.m. on the day before election day, except for military and overseas ballots for President of the United States which may be received by the registrar until 7:00 p.m. on election day.

Absentee ballot fraud is a crime in Mississippi. A person convicted of absentee ballot fraud is subject to a fine of not less than $500 nor more than $5,000, or by imprisonment in the county jail for no more than one year, or by both fine and imprisonment, or by being sentenced to the state penitentiary for not less than one year nor more than five years. The laws describing the crime and penalties are found in Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-753 (1972).

The Election Process

The two major political parties in Mississippi are the Democratic Party of the State of Mississippi and the Mississippi Republican Party. Other registered political parties include the Libertarian Party of Mississippi, the Reform Party of Mississippi, Constitution Party of Mississippi, America First Party, Green Party of Mississippi, and the Natural Law Party of Mississippi. Candidates who do not align themselves with any political party are known as Independents.

Generally, political parties choose members to serve on county executive committees during county caucuses held the year after gubernatorial races. Party state executive committees are elected at congressional district caucuses and state party conventions. Municipal party executive committees are elected in the municipal party primaries, usually held the year following presidential elections.

Qualifying for office: All candidates must meet the legal requirements to hold the office sought. Most qualifying deadlines are the same for both independent candidates and party candidates.

Party candidates pay qualifying fees and file qualifying papers with the municipal or county party executive committees or, in the case of state and state district races, with the state party executive committee.

Independent candidates do not pay qualifying fees to run for office. Rather, they qualify by filing petitions signed by a specified number of registered voters. Independent candidates for state and state district offices file with the Secretary of State's Office petitions which have been certified by the local county voter

registrar. Independent candidates for county and county district offices file qualifying papers with the county registrar's office, and independent candidates for municipal office file qualifying papers with the municipal registrar's office.

Statewide Offices

GOVERNOR

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 30 years old, a citizen of the United States 20 years, and a resident of the state five years next preceding the day of election. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 117 and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $300 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 1,000. No fee required.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Qualifications: Same as required of the Governor. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, § 117 and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 1,000. No fee required.

SECRETARY OF STATE, AUDITOR, TREASURER, INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years old, and a citizen of the state five years next preceding the day of election. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, §§ 133 and 134 and Article 12, § 250; Miss. Code Ann. § 83-1-3 (1972).

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 1,000. No fee required.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Qualifications: A qualified elector, a practicing attorney for five years, at least 26 years old, and a citizen of the state five years. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 173 and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 1,000. No fee required.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE

Qualifications: A qualified elector with a general knowledge of agriculture, mining, manufacturing, statistics, and general industries, and an experienced and practical agriculturist. Miss. Code Ann. § 69-1-1 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 1,000. No fee required.

State District Offices

CIRCUIT AND CHANCERY COURT JUDGES

Qualifications: A practicing attorney for five years, at least 26 years of age, and a citizen of the state for five years. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 154.

Fee: $100 made payable to the State Board of Election Commissioners, delivered to the Secretary of State's Office.

COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE

Qualifications: A practicing attorney, at least 30 years of age, and a citizen of the state for five years preceding the day of election. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-4-5 (1972).

Fee: $200 made payable to the State Board of Election Commissioners, delivered to the Secretary of State's Office.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the district and a practicing attorney admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Mississippi for two years.

Fee for party candidates: $100 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 100. No fee required.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER

Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 25 years old, a resident of the Supreme Court District in which election is sought, and a citizen of the state five years preceding the day of election. Miss. Code Ann. § 77-1-1 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 7, § 186 and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 300. No fee required.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Qualifications: A qualified elector, a resident citizen of the state four years, at least 21 years old, and a resident of the county and district represented for two years before the election. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 4, § 41.

Fee for party candidates: $15 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required. For multi-county districts, submit certified petition to Secretary of State. For single county districts, submit to appropriate Circuit Clerk.

STATE SENATOR

Qualifications: A qualified elector of the state four years, at least 25 years old, and an actual resident of the district represented for two years before the election. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 4, § 42.

Fee for party candidates: $15 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required. For multi-county districts, submit certified petition to Secretary of State. For single county districts, submit to appropriate circuit clerk.

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE
Qualifications: A practicing attorney, at least 30 years of age, and a citizen of the state for five years preceding the day of election. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 150.

Fee: $200 made payable to the State Board of Election Commissioners, delivered to the Secretary of State's Office.

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER
Qualifications: A qualified elector and a resident of the Supreme Court District in which election is sought. Miss. Code Ann. § 65-1-3 (1972).

Fee for party candidates: $200 made payable to the appropriate state party executive committee.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 300. No fee required.

Countywide Offices

CHANCERY CLERK, CIRCUIT CLERK, TAX ASSESSOR/COLLECTOR
Qualifications: A qualified elector of the county in which election is sought. Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, §§ 135 and 138; Article 6, § 168; Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $15

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

CORONER
Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 21 years of age, possessing a high school diploma or its equivalent, of the county in which election is sought. The minimum education requirement shall not apply to any Coroner holding office on July 1, 1986, who is re-elected in the 1987 general election and thereafter as long as he or she maintains continuous active service. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-21-103 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, §§ 135 and 138, Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $10 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

COUNTY COURT JUDGE
Qualifications: A qualified elector, at least 26 years old, a practicing attorney for five years, and a citizen of the state for five years preceding the election. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-9-1 et seq. (1972).

Fee: $15 made payable to county Circuit Clerk.

COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Qualifications: A qualified elector and a regular licensed and practicing attorney. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-23-1 et seq. (1972).

Fee for party candidates: $15

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

SHERIFF
Qualifications: Not a defaulter to the state or any county or municipality or to the United States and a qualified elector. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-25-3 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, §§ 135 and 138.

Fee for party candidates: $15 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION
Qualifications: A qualified elector, the holder of a valid Administrator's certificate issued by the State Department of Education, and not less than four years of classroom or administrative experience. Miss. Code Ann. § 37-9-13 (1972). Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 8, §§ 202, 203, and 204; Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $15

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

SURVEYOR
Qualifications: A registered land surveyor and a qualified elector of the county in which election is sought. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-27-1 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 5, §§ 135 and 138; Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $10 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 50. No fee required.

County District Offices

CONSTABLE
Qualifications: A qualified elector in the county and district in which election is sought. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-19-1 et seq. (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 171 (1975) and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $10 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 15. No fee required.

ELECTION COMMISSIONER
Qualifications: A qualified elector in the county and district in which election is sought. Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-213 (1972).

Number of signatures required: 50. No fee required.

JUSTICE COURT JUDGE
Qualifications: A qualified elector and resident of the county and district two years preceding the day of election, a high school graduate or its equivalent. Must complete a course of training required by law within six months of the beginning of the term of office. Miss. Code Ann. § 9-11-3 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 6, § 171 (1975) and Article 12, § 250.

Fee for party candidates: $10 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 15. No fee required.

SUPERVISOR
Qualifications: A qualified elector of the county and a resident in the district in which election is sought. Miss. Code Ann. § 19-3-3 (1972); Miss. Const. of 1890, Article 12, § 250; *Williams v. Adams County Board of Election Commissioners*, 608 F Supp. 599 (1985).

Fee for party candidates: $15 made payable to the appropriate county executive committee via Circuit Clerk.

Number of signatures required for Independent candidates: 15. No fee required.

Note: In most cases, fees are assessed only of candidates who run in party primaries. Independent candidates are not assessed fees. For the current schedule of most fees, see Miss. Code Ann. §§ 23-15-297 and 23-15-977 (1972). Party candidates must file the required fee and a qualifying statement of intent (available from the Circuit Clerk or the Secretary of State's Office). The completed and certified petitions of

Independent candidates for multi-county offices must be submitted to the Secretary of State's Office by the appropriate qualifying deadline. Accordingly, the petition must first be submitted a reasonable time in advance to the appropriate circuit clerk's office so signatures may be certified as those of registered voters. More information can be obtained from the Secretary of State's Office or the Circuit Clerk.

Primary Elections

Party candidates are nominated during party primary elections. Voters cast ballots in the party primary of their choice. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes, a run-off, or second primary, is held between the top two vote getters. The run-off is held three weeks after the first primary in all except municipal primary run-offs which are held two weeks after the first primary.

Voters in the first primary of one party may not "crossover" and vote in the run-off of another party. Persons who do not vote in a first primary may vote in any party's run-off.

County or municipal party executive committees conduct party primary elections and certify party primary election returns. These certified returns are filed with the applicable voter registrar. Results of state or state district primaries are sent to the state party executive committee for certification. Certified results of state and state district party primaries are filed with the Secretary of State's Office.

Non-Partisan Elections

The elections for Supreme Court Justices, Court of Appeals Judges, Chancery Court Judges, Circuit Court Judges, and County and Family Court Judges are conducted as non-partisan races. Thus, candidates for these offices must submit qualifying fees and papers to statutorily designated offices.

General Elections

Party nominees, qualified independent candidates, candidates for non-partisan offices, and certain ballot measures like bond issues and constitutional amendments usually appear on general election ballots.

The Secretary of State issues the official "sample ballot" for state and state district offices. Local election commissions issue the official "sample ballot" for county and municipal offices.

Usually, the candidate receiving the highest number of votes is elected in the general election. However, run-off elections held after the general election are sometimes necessary for non-partisan judicial offices, Election Commissioners, and some special elections because no party primary/run-off system is held.

General elections are run by county election commissions or municipal election commissions with limited oversight from the State Board of Election Commissioners, comprised of the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Attorney General. Voter registrars and the Secretary of State's Office assist. Local election commissions file certified election returns with the Secretary of State's Office. Municipal election commissions file copies of the certified election returns with the Secretary of State's Office.

Electing Statewide Officials in Mississippi

Section 140 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 states that in order to be elected Governor or to any of the other seven statewide elected offices, a candidate must receive a majority of the popular vote in the general election and majority of the electoral vote.

The electoral vote totals are determined by state House of Representatives districts. The candidate who receives the most votes in an individual district is awarded the electoral vote for that district. With 122 House Districts in the state, a majority of electoral votes is 62.

The electoral vote for the 2003 General Election is presented below:

STATE OFFICE	ELECTORAL VOTE TOTALS
Governor	
Haley Barbour	76
Ronnie Musgrove	46
Lieutenant Governor	
Barbara Blackmon	38
Amy Tuck	84
Secretary of State	
Eric Clark	117
Julio Del Castillo	5
Attorney General	
Jim Hood	100
Scott Newton	22
State Auditor	
Billy Blackburn	3
Phil Bryant	119
State Treasurer	
Gary Anderson	56
Tate Reeves	66
Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce	
Max Phillips	17
Lester Spell	105
Commissioner of Insurance	
George Dale	114
Aaron (Lucky) DuPuy III	8

If a candidate does not receive both a majority of the popular votes and a majority of the electoral vote, Section 141 of the Mississippi Constitution provides that members of the House of Representatives shall choose the Governor from the two persons who received the highest number of popular votes.

Campaign Finance Disclosure and Organization

Candidates for public office in Mississippi must follow state law regarding disclosure of their political contributions and expenditures. Political committees, groups that raise and donate money on behalf of candidates or issues, also must follow the state's disclosure laws.

The Mississippi Legislature passed a major campaign finance reform bill in 1998; it became law in 1999. The law sets the campaign contribution and expenditure reporting threshold at $200 for all candidates and political committees.

Any person or group who spends or receives in the aggregate $200.01 or more to influence an election must file all applicable campaign finance reports, even if qualifying papers have not been filed. In addition to campaign finance disclosure reports, political committees must file a statement of organization within ten days of receiving or spending in excess of $200 to influence voters.

Candidates for state, state district, and legislative office file reports with the Secretary of State's Office. County and county/district candidates file reports with the appropriate circuit clerk, and candidates for municipal office file reports with the municipal clerk.

All judicial candidates, except justice court judges, are required to establish committees to handle campaign finances. Candidate committees for judges are prohibited from soliciting donations earlier than 60 days before the candidate qualifying deadline and later than 120 days after the last applicable election day, according to Canon 5 Code of Judicial Conduct.

Once authorized by a candidate to conduct campaign activities for any elected office except a federal office, a candidate's political committee must also file a statement of organization and campaign finance reports. candidates for federal office should contact the Federal Election Commission for campaign finance disclosure requirements.

Campaign Finance Report Requirements: Five types of campaign finance reports are required of all candidates, candidate's committees, and political committees. These reports are filed at different times.

1. Pre-election reports – Aggregate from January 1 through the tenth day before each election. Due date: the 7th day before any election. Candidates and candidate committees file only in elections in which the candidates' names are on the ballot, but political committees file before any primary, run-off, or general election, even if the committee is not involved.

2. Periodic reports – Aggregate from January 1 through the due date. Periodic reports are due in gubernatorial and judicial election years. Due dates: May 10, June 10, July 10, October 10, and January 10.

3. Annual reports – Aggregate for the period from January 1 through December 31. Due date: January 31 except following gubernatorial election years, during which periodic reports are filed.

4. 48 Hour reports – Applies only to candidates. Reportable contributions received after the tenth day, but more than 48 hours before 12:01 a.m. on the election day, must be reported by fax, mail, or hand delivery to the appropriate office within 48 hours of receipt.

5. Termination reports – Due when political activities cease. Contains all reportable activity since the last filed report. Unless and until a termination report is filed, every candidate and committee must file every required report. A termination report may be filed when contributions are no longer accepted, expenditures are no longer made, and there are no outstanding debts or financial obligations associated with the candidate or committee activities. Filing a termination report is the only way to end reporting obligations and responsibilities. If no termination report is filed, candidates and committees remain subject to filing all other required reports.

Political committees and individuals aligned for or against constitutional initiatives must file monthly initiative committee reports with the Secretary of State.

Report Contents: All reports must include:

1. Aggregated year-to-date totals – Total year-to-date amount of contributions received and expenditures made must be reported by all candidates.

2. Cash on hand – All cash on hand must be reported and carried over year-to-year.

3. Contributions – An itemized listing must be reported of each contributor who

has contributed in the aggregate over $200 year-to-date, including name, address, occupation, employer, date of each contribution, amount of each contribution, and year-to-date aggregate contribution.

4. Expenditures – An itemized listing must be reported of each expenditure of over $200 in the aggregate year-to-date and the person or business, including name, address, occupation, employer, date of expenditure, amount of expenditure, and year-to-date aggregate expenditures.

Campaign finance report forms may be obtained from the local voter registrar's office, the Secretary of State's Office, or downloaded from the Secretary of State's website at www.sos.state.ms.us.

Statement of Economic Interest: Candidates for public office also must file a "Statement of Economic Interest" with the Mississippi Ethics Commission. The form may be obtained from the Mississippi Ethics Commission. For more information about the Mississippi Ethics Commission, see page 481.

Technical Assistance: Candidates, candidate's committees, and political committees are advised to review the appropriate statutes and state laws regarding regulation and disclosure of campaign finances and other obligations and responsibilities. Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-801 et seq. (1972).

The information printed in this edition of the Official and Statistical Register regarding voter registration, voting, absentee voting, candidate qualifications, dates of elections, qualifying deadlines, and campaign finance disclosure is subject to change due to legislation or action by the Courts. Always refer to the current language in effect for the appropriate statutes and contact your circuit clerk or the Secretary of State's Office before relying on the information in this book.

The Secretary of State's Office Election Hotline number is 1-800-829-6786 and the website address is www.sos.state.ms.us. Telephone numbers and addresses of the state's circuit clerks and election commissioners are listed in the County section of this book.

A record number of 1.2 million Mississippi citizens cast votes during the 2004 Presidential Election.

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SPECIAL ELECTION – NOVEMBER 06, 2001

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 7

County	Bryan Buckley	Faye Peterson
Hinds	6,621	14,107
TOTAL	**6,621**	**14,107**
PERCENTAGES	31.9%	68.1%

2002 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY – JUNE 04, 2002

U.S. SENATOR

County	James (Bootie) Hunt	Steven Turney
Adams	286	127
Alcorn	104	97
Amite	199	163
Attala	735	644
Benton	86	76
Bolivar	859	1,021
Calhoun	116	64
Carroll	368	429
Chickasaw	71	49
Choctaw	106	102
Claiborne	672	539
Clarke	212	241
Clay	102	119
Coahoma	311	380
Copiah	899	949
Covington	71	99
DeSoto	61	100
Forrest	252	299
Franklin	199	96
George	168	152
Greene	100	60
Grenada	103	71
Hancock	80	105
Harrison	224	259
Hinds	5,439	8,352
Holmes	1,090	971
Humphreys	692	782
Issaquena	169	165
Itawamba	172	138
Jackson	305	232
Jasper	171	164
Jefferson	565	299
Jefferson Davis	256	212
Jones	241	192
Kemper	179	107
Lafayette	117	101
Lamar	70	91
Lauderdale	179	150
Lawrence	199	210
Leake	501	418
Lee	242	190
Leflore	357	520
Lincoln	191	227
Lowndes	48	30
Madison	812	1,286
Marion	330	151
Marshall	139	101
Monroe	202	165

***U.S. SENATOR** (Cont.)*

County	James (Bootie) Hunt	Steven Turney
Montgomery	.483	.376
Neshoba	.185	.326
Newton	.137	.124
Noxubee	.169	.90
Oktibbeha	.153	.187
Panola	.176	.144
Pearl River	.135	.191
Perry	.68	.87
Pike	.156	.153
Pontotoc	.146	.144
Prentiss	.38	.95
Quitman	.301	.263
Rankin	.273	.325
Scott	.251	.160
Sharkey	.505	.481
Simpson	.378	.228
Smith	.180	.110
Stone	.89	.49
Sunflower	.970	.956
Tallahatchie	.496	.584
Tate	.109	.96
Tippah	.106	.102
Tishomingo	.82	.61
Tunica	.136	.168
Union	.114	.180
Walthall	.165	.113
Warren	1,227	1,391
Washington	1,338	1,675
Wayne	.164	.107
Webster	.89	.99
Wilkinson	.106	.66
Winston	.126	.128
Yalobusha	.75	.54
Yazoo	*	*
TOTAL	**28,176**	**30,808**
PERCENTAGES	47.8%	52.2%

** not on ballot*

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	George E. Irvin	Bennie G. Thompson
Attala	.608	1,080
Bolivar	1,452	3,038
Carroll	.386	.616
Claiborne	.203	1,628
Coahoma	.500	1,800
Copiah	.686	1,648
Hinds	4,125	16,576
Holmes	.469	2,514
Humphreys	.738	1,222
Issaquena	.221	.257
Jefferson	.123	1,014
Leake	.275	.536
Leflore	.337	1,825
Madison	.421	1,823
Montgomery	.205	.878
Quitman	.248	.479
Sharkey	.710	.788
Sunflower	.641	1,723

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Cont.)

County	George E. Irvin	Bennie G. Thompson
Tallahatchie	291	1,157
Tunica	133	412
Union	165	113
Warren	1,434	2,010
Washington	911	3,482
Yazoo	2,160	1,387
TOTAL	**17,442**	**48,006**
PERCENTAGES	26.7%	73.3%

2002 REPUBLICAN PRIMARY – JUNE 04, 2002

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Clinton B. LeSueur	Charlotte Reeves
Attala	121	184
Bolivar	218	325
Carroll	119	230
Claiborne	36	31
Coahoma	86	131
Copiah	356	621
Hinds	2,449	2,067
Holmes	44	19
Humphreys	45	96
Issaquena	5	4
Jefferson	5	24
Leake	61	113
Leflore	522	182
Madison	220	192
Montgomery	67	101
Quitman	42	10
Sharkey	73	54
Sunflower	154	157
Tallahatchie	39	140
Tunica	7	10
Warren	746	548
Washington	1,059	165
Yazoo	120	119
TOTAL	**6,594**	**5,523**
PERCENTAGES	54.4%	45.6%

2002 GENERAL ELECTION – NOVEMBER 05, 2002

Steve Turney withdrew as the Democratic nominee for reasons of health. The Democratic state executive committee did not appoint a substitute nominee.

U.S. SENATOR

County	Thad Cochran (R)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)
Adams	6,621	2,044
Alcorn	3,284	426
Amite	3,811	1,975
Attala	4,810	844
Benton	1,272	297
Bolivar	5,660	1,137
Calhoun	2,614	414
Carroll	2,215	440
Chickasaw	3,299	842
Choctaw	1,698	248
Claiborne	1,386	769
Clarke	3,755	749

***U.S. SENATOR** (Cont.)*

County	Thad Cochran (R)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)
Clay	4,356	1,690
Coahoma	3,036	366
Copiah	5,315	1,392
Covington	4,685	888
DeSoto	10,431	1,349
Forrest	13,771	1,880
Franklin	2,475	470
George	3,717	406
Greene	2,256	273
Grenada	4,675	892
Hancock	7,034	1,160
Harrison	35,954	5,816
Hinds	46,687	10,138
Holmes	2,732	1,287
Humphreys	1,797	647
Issaquena	422	120
Itawamba	4,424	681
Jackson	25,305	3,056
Jasper	3,564	1,158
Jefferson	1,225	715
Jefferson Davis	2,964	882
Jones	13,463	1,751
Kemper	2,701	542
Lafayette	5,605	948
Lamar	10,069	782
Lauderdale	17,398	2,198
Lawrence	4,186	840
Leake	4,326	775
Lee	12,585	1,594
Leflore	4,553	1,198
Lincoln	8,708	1,380
Lowndes	10,268	1,936
Madison	20,109	2,779
Marion	5,988	942
Marshall	4,068	1,159
Monroe	5,204	1,120
Montgomery	2,813	391
Neshoba	6,864	715
Newton	5,491	530
Noxubee	2,194	929
Oktibbeha	7,793	1,988
Panola	5,058	1,285
Pearl River	7,212	1,031
Perry	2,695	350
Pike	8,776	2,428
Pontotoc	4,530	530
Prentiss	4,951	705
Quitman	1,088	401
Rankin	31,180	2,341
Scott	5,501	1,062
Sharkey	1,233	333
Simpson	5,823	1,298
Smith	5,075	462
Stone	3,132	357
Sunflower	3,479	1,240
Tallahatchie	2,261	767
Tate	3,363	591
Tippah	3,646	593

U.S. SENATOR (Cont.)

County	Thad Cochran (R)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)
Union	4,672	474
Walthall	3,530	819
Warren	11,036	1,684
Washington	8,263	2,671
Wayne	4,384	848
Webster	2,829	350
Wilkinson	1,403	918
Winston	5,661	1,198
Yalobusha	2,205	616
Yazoo	4,752	980
TOTAL	**533,269**	**97,226**
PERCENTAGES	84.6%	15.4%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Brenda Blackburn (RP)	Harold Taylor (L)	Rex Weathers (D)	Roger Wicker (R)
Alcorn	262	107	844	3,192
Benton	69	27	512	1,045
Calhoun	65	33	637	2,320
Chickasaw	115	51	1,280	2,824
Choctaw	44	28	425	1,490
Clay	312	674	1,989	3,395
DeSoto	208	125	1,859	9,807
Grenada	229	118	1,579	3,852
Itawamba	118	45	1,080	4,034
Lafayette	171	118	1,698	4,827
Lee	232	156	2,975	11,440
Lowndes	270	127	3,870	8,641
Marshall	210	112	1,920	3,375
Monroe	152	84	1,947	4,588
Panola	257	88	2,331	4,225
Pontotoc	101	33	857	4,185
Prentiss	121	120	1,158	4,526
Tate	76	36	1,131	2,927
Tippah	96	54	870	3,334
Tishomingo	132	98	1,038	2,919
Union	81	42	911	4,224
Webster	72	33	488	2,346
Winston	0	1	14	40
Yalobusha	84	58	905	1,848
TOTAL	**3,477**	**2,368**	**32,318**	**95,404**
PERCENTAGES	2.6%	1.8%	24.2%	71.4%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Lee Dilworth (RP)	Clinton B. LeSueur (R)	Bennie G. Thompson (D)
Attala	235	3,344	2,335
Bolivar	174	3,597	6,404
Carroll	63	1,662	1,113
Claiborne	29	547	2,211
Coahoma	312	1,840	3,288
Copiah	155	3,910	3,222
Hinds	696	19,913	29,429
Holmes	61	1,321	3,778
Humphreys	38	1,051	1,717
Issaquena	7	273	398
Jefferson	23	369	2,010

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Cont.)

County	Lee Dilworth (RP)	Clinton B. LeSueur (R)	Bennie G. Thompson (D)
Leake	73	1,510	1,355
Leflore	79	3,189	4,361
Madison	97	2,791	4,120
Montgomery	392	1,078	1,815
Quitman	36	597	1,182
Sharkey	45	770	993
Sunflower	84	2,242	3,014
Tallahatchie	93	1,147	2,190
Tunica	15	326	722
Warren	274	8,516	4,809
Washington	170	6,140	6,396
Yazoo	275	3,578	3,051
TOTAL	**3,426**	**69,711**	**89,913**
PERCENTAGES	2.1%	42.8%	55.1%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Harvey L. Darden (I)	Jim Giles (I)	Carroll Grantham (RP)	Brad A. McDonald (L)	Charles W. Pickering, Jr. (R)	Ronnie Shows (D)
Adams	31	31	22	38	4,987	5,835
Amite	38	54	16	24	2,853	3,002
Covington	21	19	10	17	3,111	2,589
Franklin	6	24	13	10	1,732	1,350
Hinds	18	29	11	48	9,490	2,803
Jasper	9	19	5	4	1,037	897
Jefferson Davis	13	13	7	11	1,410	3,155
Jones	1	4	0	1	484	352
Kemper	20	42	6	15	1,832	1,656
Lauderdale	37	120	23	42	15,047	5,445
Lawrence	23	44	26	14	2,586	2,828
Leake	6	22	19	9	1,670	860
Lincoln	23	49	29	37	6,268	4,095
Madison	23	73	27	49	13,534	3,434
Marion	10	16	3	8	1,838	1,383
Neshoba	17	77	18	23	5,743	1,848
Newton	18	37	10	46	4,835	1,401
Noxubee	12	22	14	30	1,482	2,760
Oktibbeha	27	65	42	66	6,173	4,152
Pike	54	52	45	42	5,506	5,935
Rankin	42	294	54	103	27,201	7,043
Scott	26	75	21	13	4,336	2,237
Simpson	20	85	18	24	4,357	3,243
Smith	33	52	7	11	4,096	1,487
Walthall	19	30	20	31	2,350	2,226
Webster	5	3	2	2	192	76
Wilkinson	16	19	8	8	999	1,673
Winston	381	61	22	34	4,180	2,419
TOTAL	**949**	**1,431**	**498**	**760**	**139,329**	**76,184**
PERCENTAGES	0.4%	0.7%	0.2%	0.3%	63.6%	34.8%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Thomas Huffmaster (RP)	Karl Mertz (R)	Wayne L. Parker (L)	Gene Taylor (D)
Clarke	435	1,620	311	2,282
Forrest	186	3,234	301	12,282
George	70	858	83	3,103
Greene	16	396	32	2,133
Hancock	120	1,963	161	6,421
Harrison	535	7,258	975	34,486
Jackson	489	6,343	443	21,871
Jasper	74	634	80	2,178
Jones	83	3,565	197	10,916
Lamar	121	2,874	269	7,658
Marion	52	942	85	3,148
Pearl River	109	2,865	139	5,530
Perry	55	492	56	2,479
Stone	50	534	88	2,862
Wayne	47	795	91	4,393
TOTAL	**2,442**	**34,373**	**3,311**	**121,742**
PERCENTAGES	1.5%	21.2%	2.0%	75.2%

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 2 (SOUTHERN), POSITION 1

County	Larry Buffington	Jess Dickinson	Charles R. (Chuck) McRae
Adams	1,183	4,632	4,404
Amite	933	1,885	2,829
Clarke	946	2,078	1,532
Covington	3,052	2,060	639
Forrest	3,719	9,333	2,972
Franklin	569	1,546	843
George	930	2,281	964
Greene	560	1,235	724
Hancock	2,166	4,890	1,533
Harrison	10,607	24,595	7,848
Jackson	6,691	15,222	6,954
Jasper	1,306	2,008	1,620
Jefferson Davis	1,617	1,683	1,056
Jones	4,715	8,188	2,875
Lamar	2,516	7,449	991
Lawrence	1,811	2,341	1,226
Lincoln	2,179	5,896	2,087
Marion	1,084	4,654	1,790
Pearl River	1,693	5,250	1,353
Perry	743	1,735	577
Pike	1,956	4,518	4,668
Simpson	3,260	3,320	975
Smith	2,486	2,454	925
Stone	1,014	2,232	457
Walthall	720	2,227	1,434
Wayne	541	3,182	1,596
Wilkinson	461	697	1,335
TOTAL	**59,458**	**127,591**	**56,207**
PERCENTAGES	24.4%	52.5%	23.1%

COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT 1, POSITION 2

County	Ralph H. Doxey	Roger H. McMillin, Jr.
Alcorn	1,215	2,492
Benton	975	583
Calhoun	1,250	1,646
Chickasaw	1,618	2,361
Choctaw	403	1,501
DeSoto	3,590	7,074
Grenada	108	189
Itawamba	1,532	3,375
Lafayette	2,701	3,445
Lee	4,235	9,495
Marshall	4,027	1,596
Monroe	2,209	4,179
Montgomery	242	607
Panola	1,563	2,571
Pontotoc	1,283	3,572
Prentiss	1,878	3,727
Tallahatchie	583	948
Tate	1,458	2,248
Tippah	1,665	2,392
Tishomingo	1,276	2,472
Union	642	4,555
Webster	845	2,152
Yalobusha	733	1,951
TOTAL	**36,031**	**65,131**
PERCENTAGES	35.6%	64.4%

COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT 2, POSITION 1

County	Tyree Irving
Attala	1,598
Bolivar	4,651
Carroll	1,630
Claiborne	1,944
Coahoma	1,672
Grenada	4,124
Hinds	10,434
Holmes	3,332
Humphreys	1,882
Issaquena	430
Jefferson	1,655
Leake	978
Leflore	3,760
Madison	5,622
Montgomery	1,645
Panola	1,260
Quitman	1,242
Sharkey	1,106
Sunflower	4,095
Tallahatchie	1,038
Tunica	692
Warren	10,239
Washington	8,630
Yazoo	3,673
TOTAL	**77,332**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT 3, POSITION 2

County	Jim Brantley	Kenny Griffis
Attala	1,772	1,679
Clarke	1,390	3,230
Clay	3,526	2,608
Jasper	2,380	2,337
Jones	2,829	2,041
Kemper	1,424	1,845
Lauderdale	4,352	15,439
Leake	2,417	1,660
Lowndes	4,591	7,414
Madison	5,847	8,903
Neshoba	3,091	4,313
Newton	2,439	3,747
Noxubee	2,246	1,511
Oktibbeha	4,136	5,299
Rankin	16,299	16,711
Scott	3,600	2,932
Smith	3,070	2,339
Wayne	451	362
Winston	3,271	3,573
TOTAL	**69,131**	**87,943**
PERCENTAGES	44.0%	56.0%

COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT 4, POSITION 2

County	Joe Lee
Adams	6,660
Amite	4,765
Copiah	5,863
Covington	4,442
Franklin	2,411
Hinds	40,637
Jefferson Davis	2,017
Jones	9,068
Lawrence	4,282
Lincoln	8,873
Marion	6,432
Pike	9,546
Simpson	5,218
Walthall	3,430
Wilkinson	0
TOTAL	**113,644**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT 5, POSITION 1

County	William H. (Bill) Myers
Forrest	13,636
George	3,355
Greene	2,100
Hancock	5,573
Harrison	22,466
Jackson	24,401
Lamar	9,242
Pearl River	6,933
Perry	2,635
Stone	2,619
Wayne	3,953
TOTAL	**96,913**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 1 *(three chancellors elected)*

County	William L. (Bill) Griffin, Jr.	Talmadge D. Littlejohn	Jacqueline Estes Mask	John C. Ross, Jr.	Rodney E. Shands
Alcorn	1,028	1,025	1,679	3,000	1,507
Itawamba	1,308	1,650	2,459	1,220	2,135
Lee	3,070	4,754	9,743	3,239	7,376
Monroe	2,123	1,621	3,379	1,765	2,695
Pontotoc	846	1,891	3,086	906	2,041
Prentiss	2,088	1,558	1,991	2,189	2,041
Tishomingo	1,096	1,367	1,285	1,314	1,577
Union	629	1,897	1,560	895	3,824
TOTAL	**12,188**	**15,763**	**25,182**	**14,528**	**23,196**
PERCENTAGES	13.4%	17.3%	27.7%	16.0%	25.5%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	H. David Clark II
Jasper	4,070
Newton	5,388
Scott	5,679
TOTAL	**15,137**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 3, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Percy L. Lynchard
DeSoto	9,354
TOTAL	**9,354**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 3, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(two chancellors elected)*

County	Charlie Baker	Gail Barton	Vicki Cobb	Mitchell Lundy, Jr.	Melvin McClure, Jr.	Adam Pittman	Ted Smith	James Vance
Grenada	188	367	937	3,380	1,233	442	208	2,704
Montgomery	136	105	742	1,085	1,009	346	252	1,202
Panola	1,702	218	1,591	246	1,277	2,412	2,987	330
Tate	504	141	756	216	2,774	519	490	398
Yalobusha	323	515	407	470	844	534	420	655
TOTAL	**2,853**	**1,346**	**4,433**	**5,397**	**7,137**	**4,253**	**4,357**	**5,289**
PERCENTAGES	8.1%	3.8%	12.6%	15.4%	20.4%	12.1%	12.4%	15.1%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 4 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Hollis McGehee
Amite	5,019
Franklin	2,676
Pike	9,973
Walthall	3,607
TOTAL	**21,275**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 5, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Stuart Robinson
Hinds	13,469
TOTAL	**13,469**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 5, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Pat Wise
Hinds	11,976
TOTAL	**11,976**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 5, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Denise Owens
Hinds	8,249
TOTAL	**8,249**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 5, SUBDISTRICT 4 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	William Hale (Bill) Singletary
Hinds	19,198
TOTAL	**19,198**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 6 *(two chancellors elected)*

County	John C. Love, Jr.	Edward C. Prisock
Attala	4,814	1,527
Carroll	1,913	813
Choctaw	1,246	983
Kemper	1,811	1,782
Neshoba	3,475	4,497
Winston	2,724	4,576
TOTAL	**15,983**	**14,178**
PERCENTAGES	53.0%	47.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	William G. Willard, Jr.
Bolivar	4,131
Coahoma	2,374
TOTAL	**6,505**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Jon M. Barnwell
Leflore	3,965
Quitman	1,252
Tallahatchie	1,911
Tunica	627
TOTAL	**7,755**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	H.E. (Ed) Ellis, Sr.	Malcolm F. Jones	Jim Persons	Walter W. (Wes) Teel
Hancock	1,692	1,069	2,004	3,192
Harrison	6,050	4,818	11,743	18,929
Stone	696	186	1,133	1,487
TOTAL	**8,438**	**6,073**	**14,880**	**23,608**
PERCENTAGES	15.9%	11.5%	28.1%	44.5%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Margaret Alfonso	William W. (Bill) Dreher, Jr.
Hancock	4,819	3,044
Harrison	27,440	14,052
Stone	1,903	1,563
TOTAL	**34,162**	**18,659**
PERCENTAGES	64.7%	35.3%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Sanford R. (Sandy) Steckler	Herbert J. Stelly, Sr.
Hancock	5,401	2,294
Harrison	29,898	9,885
Stone	2,319	1,114
TOTAL	**37,618**	**13,293**
PERCENTAGES	73.9%	26.1%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 4 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Carter Bise	Michael C. (Mike) Hill
Hancock	3,995	3,600
Harrison	24,160	15,331
Stone	1,665	1,598
TOTAL	**29,820**	**20,529**
PERCENTAGES	59.2%	40.8%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 9, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	W. Dean Belk	Sarah Hodnett-Brooks	Walter B. Swain	Marie Wilson
Sunflower	1,110	269	305	825
Washington	213	380	1,930	3,484
TOTAL	**1,323**	**649**	**2,235**	**4,309**
PERCENTAGES	15.5%	7.6%	26.2%	50.6%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 9, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Jane R. Weathersby
Humphreys	1,874
Sunflower	2,302
Washington	4,379
TOTAL	**8,555**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 9, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Vicki Roach Barnes
Issaquena	508
Sharkey	1,378
Warren	11,683
TOTAL	**13,569**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 10, PLACE 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	James H.C. Thomas, Jr.
Forrest	13,599
Lamar	9,207
Marion	6,382
Pearl River	5,957
Perry	2,498
TOTAL	**37,643**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 10, PLACE 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Sebe Dale, Jr.
Forrest	13,430
Lamar	9,247
Marion	6,808
Pearl River	6,018
Perry	2,632
TOTAL	**38,135**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 10, PLACE 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Johnny L. Williams
Forrest	13,857
Lamar	9,141
Marion	6,363
Pearl River	5,662
Perry	2,618
TOTAL	**37,641**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	John I. Donaldson	Janace Harvey Goree	Richard J. (Dick) Rohman
Holmes	537	3,298	1,140
Madison	372	1,342	635
Yazoo	1,446	2,096	3,153
TOTAL	**2,355**	**6,736**	**4,928**
PERCENTAGES	16.8%	48.0%	35.2%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Bill Lutz
Leake	4,339
Madison	17,006
TOTAL	**21,345**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 12 *(two chancellors elected)*

County	Jerry G. Mason	Sarah P. Springer
Clarke	2,685	2,725
Lauderdale	10,725	13,084
TOTAL	**13,410**	**15,809**
PERCENTAGES	45.9%	54.1%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 13 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Larry Buffington
Covington	4,513
Jefferson Davis	3,101
Lawrence	4,222
Simpson	5,638
Smith	4,922
TOTAL	**22,396**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 14, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Kenneth M. Burns	George M. Mitchell, Jr.	Rex Sanderson	Cecil L. Simmons
Chickasaw	1,972	189	1,787	340
Oktibbeha	801	1,317	430	3,689
Webster	410	1,233	495	1,066
TOTAL	**3,183**	**2,739**	**2,712**	**5,095**
PERCENTAGES	23.2%	20.0%	19.8%	37.1%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 14, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Robert L. Lancaster
Clay	2,627
Lowndes	8,151
TOTAL	**10,778**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 14, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Dorothy W. Colom
Clay	2,685
Lowndes	2,673
Noxubee	2,713
Oktibbeha	2,829
TOTAL	**10,900**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 15 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Edward E. Patten, Jr.
Copiah	6,086
Lincoln	8,831
TOTAL	**14,917**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 16, PLACE 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	D. Neil Harris, Sr.	Pat H. Watts, Jr.
George	1,745	2,375
Greene	1,369	1,055
Jackson	13,329	14,725
TOTAL	**16,443**	**18,155**
PERCENTAGES	47.5%	52.5%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 16, PLACE 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Jaye A. Bradley
George	3,800
Greene	2,058
Jackson	24,277
TOTAL	**30,135**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 16, PLACE 3 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Glenn Barlow
George	3,523
Greene	2,028
Jackson	24,815
TOTAL	**30,366**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 17, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Kennie E. Middleton
Adams	2,422
Claiborne	2,088
Jefferson	1,965
Wilkinson	1,759
TOTAL	**8,234**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 17, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	George Ward
Adams	5,431
Wilkinson	2,062
TOTAL	**7,493**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 18 *(two chancellors elected)*

County	Glenn Alderson	Richard J. Babb	Fred Belk, Jr.	Edwin Roberts, Jr.
Benton	471	496	690	489
Calhoun	965	592	1,004	1,522
Lafayette	3,833	822	778	3,278
Marshall	1,737	690	3,993	1,789
Tippah	1,099	2,802	401	1,284
TOTAL	**8,105**	**5,402**	**6,866**	**8,362**
PERCENTAGES	28.2%	18.8%	23.9%	29.1%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 19 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Frank McKenzie
Jones	14,247
Wayne	4,688
TOTAL	**18,935**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 20, PLACE 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Thomas L. (Tom) Zebert
Rankin	28,748
TOTAL	**28,748**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 20, PLACE 2 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	John Grant
Rankin	28,255
TOTAL	**28,255**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 1 *(three judges elected)*

County	Sharion Aycock	Richard Bowen	Paul Funderburk	Thomas Gardner III
Alcorn	2,228	2,135	1,771	2,629
Itawamba	3,336	1,483	2,060	2,311
Lee	8,384	4,417	8,502	9,637
Monroe	3,987	2,486	2,117	2,955
Pontotoc	2,562	1,564	2,015	2,640
Prentiss	2,433	2,065	1,737	3,312
Tishomingo	1,798	2,485	987	1,547
TOTAL	**24,728**	**16,635**	**19,189**	**25,031**
PERCENTAGES	28.9%	19.4%	22.4%	29.2%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 2, PLACE 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Kosta N. Vlahos
Hancock	6,522
Harrison	35,214
Stone	2,907
TOTAL	**44,643**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 2, PLACE 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Jerry O. Terry
Hancock	6,449
Harrison	35,148
Stone	2,967
TOTAL	**44,564**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 2, PLACE 3 *(one judge elected)*

County	Stephen B. Simpson
Hancock	6,170
Harrison	34,183
Stone	2,878
TOTAL	**43,231**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 2, PLACE 4 *(one judge elected)*

County	Robert H. Walker
Hancock	6,177
Harrison	34,252
Stone	2,911
TOTAL	**43,340**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 3 *(two judges elected)*

County	Andrew K. Howorth	Henry L. Lackey
Benton	529	950
Calhoun	728	2,679
Chickasaw	1,662	3,260
Lafayette	4,638	2,470
Marshall	2,860	3,449
Tippah	1,151	2,879
Union	1,534	3,472
TOTAL	**13,102**	**19,159**
PERCENTAGES	40.6%	59.4%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 4, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Howard Q. Davis, Jr.	Richard A. Smith
Leflore	879	3,223
Sunflower	1,071	724
TOTAL	**1,950**	**3,947**
PERCENTAGES	33.1%	66.9%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 4, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Margaret Carey-McCray
Sunflower	1,419
Washington	3,874
TOTAL	**5,293**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 4, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one judge elected)*

County	Betty W. Sanders
Leflore	1,815
Sunflower	1,642
Washington	839
TOTAL	**4,296**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 4, SUBDISTRICT 4 *(one judge elected)*

County	Ashley Hines
Washington	4,975
TOTAL	**4,975**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 5 *(two judges elected)*

County	Joseph H. (Joey) Loper, Jr.	Clarence E. Morgan III
Attala	2,160	4,271
Carroll	1,145	1,689
Choctaw	1,517	860
Grenada	3,250	3,947
Montgomery	1,663	2,121
Webster	1,664	1,715
Winston	3,784	3,582
TOTAL	**15,183**	**18,185**
PERCENTAGES	45.5%	54.5%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 6, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Lillie Blackmon Sanders
Adams	3,628
Amite	1,549
Wilkinson	1,900
TOTAL	**7,077**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 6, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Forrest Al Johnson
Adams	4,840
Amite	3,248
Franklin	2,565
Wilkinson	1,848
TOTAL	**12,501**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Louis Coleman	Greg Johnson	Swan Yerger
Hinds	3,258	2,345	9,807
TOTAL	**3,258**	**2,345**	**9,807**
PERCENTAGES	21.1%	15.2%	63.6%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Tomie Green
Hinds	11,903
TOTAL	**11,903**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one judge elected)*

County	Winston L. Kidd
Hinds	6,889
TOTAL	**6,889**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 7, SUBDISTRICT 4 *(one judge elected)*

County	Bobby B. DeLaughter
Hinds	19,268
TOTAL	**19,268**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Marcus D. Gordon	Ken Turner
Leake	3,693	1,767
Neshoba	4,700	2,976
Newton	4,744	1,687
Scott	4,591	2,251
TOTAL	**17,728**	**8,681**
PERCENTAGES	67.1%	32.9%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Vernon R. Cotten
Leake	4,886
Neshoba	6,816
Newton	5,452
Scott	5,509
TOTAL	**22,663**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 9, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Isadore W. Patrick
Issaquena	485
Sharkey	1,277
Warren	3,224
TOTAL	**4,986**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 9, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Frank Vollor
Warren	8,597
TOTAL	**8,597**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 10 *(two judges elected)*

County	Robert W. Bailey	Larry E. Roberts
Clarke	2,481	2,972
Kemper	1,808	1,855
Lauderdale	11,718	12,405
Wayne	2,978	2,793
TOTAL	**18,985**	**20,025**
PERCENTAGES	48.7%	51.3%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Albert B. (Al) Smith III
Bolivar	3,682
Coahoma	462
TOTAL	**4,144**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Kenneth L. Thomas
Bolivar	1,595
Coahoma	310
Quitman	515
TOTAL	**2,420**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 3 *(one judge elected)*

County	Larry O. Lewis
Coahoma	989
Quitman	842
Tunica	655
TOTAL	**2,486**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 12 *(one judge elected)*

County	Bob Helfrich	Richard W. (Dicky) McKenzie
Forrest	8,243	7,814
Perry	1,786	1,261
TOTAL	**10,029**	**9,075**
PERCENTAGES	52.5%	47.5%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 13 *(one judge elected)*

County	Robert G. (Bob) Evans
Covington	4,679
Jasper	4,304
Simpson	5,756
Smith	5,262
TOTAL	**20,001**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 14 *(two judges elected)*

County	Charles E. Miller	Jack G. Price	D.M. (Mike) Smith	Keith Starrett
Lincoln	2,208	1,406	5,056	6,285
Pike	3,783	1,866	4,637	6,725
Walthall	1,426	606	2,284	2,640
TOTAL	**7,417**	**3,878**	**11,977**	**15,650**
PERCENTAGES	19.1%	10.0%	30.8%	40.2%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 15 *(two judges elected)*

County	Michael R. Eubanks	R.I. (RIP) Prichard III
Jefferson Davis	1,953	1,569
Lamar	6,742	4,900
Lawrence	2,862	2,580
Marion	4,142	4,658
Pearl River	4,374	4,933
TOTAL	**20,073**	**18,640**
PERCENTAGES	51.9%	48.1%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 16 *(two judges elected)*

County	Lee J. Howard	James T. (Jim) Kitchens, Jr.	Monique Brooks Montgomery
Clay	3,038	2,608	3,531
Lowndes	7,690	7,936	5,125
Noxubee	1,959	1,083	2,792
Oktibbeha	5,990	4,744	3,820
TOTAL	**18,677**	**16,371**	**15,268**
PERCENTAGES	37.1%	32.5%	30.3%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 17, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	George B. Ready
DeSoto	9,774
TOTAL	**9,774**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 17, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(two judges elected)*

County	Andrew C. (Andy) Baker	Ann Hannaford Lamar
Panola	4,324	2,939
Tallahatchie	1,853	1,010
Tate	1,551	2,941
Yalobusha	1,900	1,191
TOTAL	**9,628**	**8,081**
PERCENTAGES	54.4%	45.6%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 18 *(one judge elected)*

County	Billy Joe Landrum
Jones	14,099
TOTAL	**14,099**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 19, PLACE 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Edwin C. Hardin	Timothy (Tim) Jones	Robert (Bob) Krebs
George	2,133	1,018	865
Greene	1,971	331	224
Jackson	6,109	8,422	12,534
TOTAL	**10,213**	**9,771**	**13,623**
PERCENTAGES	30.4%	29.1%	40.5%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 19, PLACE 2 *(one judge elected)*

County	Kathy King Jackson
George	3,590
Greene	1,998
Jackson	24,879
TOTAL	**30,467**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 19, PLACE 3 *(one judge elected)*

County	Dale Harkey
George	3,696
Greene	2,007
Jackson	24,745
TOTAL	**30,448**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 20 *(two judges elected)*

County	William E. Chapman III	Samac S. Richardson
Madison	12,852	8,809
Rankin	15,642	16,408
TOTAL	**28,494**	**25,217**
PERCENTAGES	53.1%	46.9%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 21 *(one judge elected)*

County	Jannie M. Lewis
Holmes	4,150
Humphreys	1,865
Yazoo	4,340
TOTAL	**10,355**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 22 *(one judge elected)*

County	Lamar Pickard
Claiborne	1,945
Copiah	6,106
Jefferson	1,674
TOTAL	**9,725**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SPECIAL ELECTION – November 05, 2002

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 14

County	Danny Smith
Lincoln	8,992
Pike	10,196
Walthall	3,689
TOTAL	**22,877**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 17

County	John W. Champion
DeSoto	9,156
Panola	4,775
Tallahatchie	1,986
Tate	3,384
Yalobusha	2,322
TOTAL	**21,623**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

AMENDMENT NO. 1 / SCR NO. 543

A concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to section 153, Mississippi Constitution of 1890, to increase the terms of Circuit Court Judges and Chancellors from four to six years beginning January 1, 2003; and for related purposes.

County	YES	NO
Adams	4,760	5,029
Alcorn	549	1,333
Amite	2,732	3,019
Attala	2,014	3,663
Benton	471	1,122
Bolivar	1,647	2,399
Calhoun	1,089	1,777
Carroll	946	1,668
Chickasaw	1,299	2,759
Choctaw	738	1,209
Claiborne	986	1,381
Clarke	1,145	3,265
Clay	2,588	3,609
Coahoma	1,351	1,541
Copiah	2,534	4,228
Covington	1,791	3,510
DeSoto	4,284	7,361
Forrest	6,299	9,265
Franklin	1,131	1,824
George	1,253	2,887
Greene	702	1,772
Grenada	1,687	3,536
Hancock	2,711	5,812
Harrison	14,673	28,448
Hinds	27,614	33,030
Holmes	2,587	2,153
Humphreys	909	1,468
Issaquena	253	313
Itawamba	1,986	3,039
Jackson	10,476	18,117
Jasper	1,730	3,021
Jefferson	951	1,142
Jefferson Davis	1,509	2,433
Jones	4,930	10,491
Kemper	1,366	1,864
Lafayette	2,798	3,810
Lamar	3,600	6,944
Lauderdale	7,966	11,359
Lawrence	1,565	3,774
Leake	2,023	3,149
Lee	6,265	7,913
Leflore	1,753	1,586
Lincoln	3,513	6,594
Lowndes	5,873	6,521
Madison	9,482	13,351
Marion	2,747	4,456
Marshall	1,676	3,857
Monroe	2,201	4,375
Montgomery	1,269	1,863
Neshoba	2,767	4,732
Newton	2,119	3,915
Noxubee	1,376	1,685
Oktibbeha	4,727	5,115
Panola	2,562	4,267
Pearl River	2,531	5,711
Perry	895	2,093
Pike	4,646	6,585
Pontotoc	1,823	3,136
Prentiss	1,940	3,567
Quitman	762	807
Rankin	12,487	21,076
Scott	2,143	4,462
Sharkey	623	752
Simpson	2,146	4,873
Smith	1,780	3,793
Stone	1,062	2,503
Sunflower	2,801	2,169
Tallahatchie	1,081	1,927
Tate	1,730	2,342
Tippah	1,168	2,974
Tishomingo	1,104	2,992
Tunica	423	426
Union	2,043	2,970
Walthall	1,531	2,883
Warren	5,392	7,256
Washington	4,817	5,894
Wayne	1,553	3,616
Webster	1,091	2,036
Wilkinson	1,322	1,184
Winston	2,223	4,492
Yalobusha	990	1,838
Yazoo	1,538	2,459
TOTAL	**243,618**	**385,570**
PERCENTAGES	38.7%	61.3%

SENATE DISTRICT 5 SPECIAL ELECTION – NOVEMBER 05, 2002

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 5

County	Christi Antillon-Webb	Rodney Beasley	Kenneth Floyd II	Lin Floyd	Cliff Long	George Waddell	Charles Walden	William White	J.P. Wilemon, Jr.
Itawamba	502	149	171	31	298	536	227	235	1,599
Lee	229	12	4	2	9	20	74	8	13
Prentiss	976	612	369	135	486	588	1,939	329	741
Tishomingo	314	64	80	29	132	223	197	126	1,927
TOTAL	**2,021**	**837**	**624**	**197**	**925**	**1,367**	**2,437**	**698**	**4,280**
PERCENTAGES	15.1%	6.3%	4.7%	1.5%	6.9%	10.2%	18.2%	5.2%	32.0%

2002 GENERAL ELECTION RUN-OFF – NOVEMBER 19, 2002

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 3, SUBDISTRICT 2 *(two chancellors elected)*

County	Vicki Cobb	Mitchell Lundy, Jr.	Melvin McClure, Jr.	James Vance
Grenada	1,161	2,873	1,365	2,120
Montgomery	698	834	722	944
Panola	2,137	1,095	1,709	1,200
Tate	603	338	1,970	475
Yalobusha	422	431	695	602
TOTAL	**5,021**	**5,571**	**6,461**	**5,341**
PERCENTAGES	22.4%	24.9%	28.9%	23.9%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 8, PLACE 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Jim Persons	Walter W. (Wes) Teel
Hancock	1,401	944
Harrison	8,352	5,488
Stone	915	741
TOTAL	**10,668**	**7,173**
PERCENTAGES	59.8%	40.2%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 11, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Janace Harvey Goree	Richard J. (Dick) Rohman
Holmes	2,496	906
Madison	731	273
Yazoo	1,657	3,436
TOTAL	**4,884**	**4,615**
PERCENTAGES	51.4%	48.6%

CHANCERY COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 14, SUBDISTRICT 1 *(one chancellor elected)*

County	Kenneth M. Burns	Cecil L. Simmons
Chickasaw	2,336	437
Oktibbeha	925	1,760
Webster	853	1,034
TOTAL	**4,114**	**3,231**
PERCENTAGES	56.0%	44.0%

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT 19, PLACE 1 *(one judge elected)*

County	Edwin C. Hardin	Robert (Bob) Krebs
George	1,013	300
Greene	1,191	90
Jackson	2,740	4,796
TOTAL	**4,944**	**5,186**
PERCENTAGES	48.8%	51.2%

SENATE DISTRICT 5 SPECIAL RUN-OFF – NOVEMBER 19, 2002

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 5

County	Charles Walden	J.P. Wilemon, Jr.
Itawamba	303	1,007
Lee	137	29
Prentiss	3,239	1,228
Tishomingo	253	1,623
TOTAL	**3,932**	**3,887**
PERCENTAGES	50.3%	49.7%

2003 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY – AUGUST 05, 2003

GOVERNOR

County	Gilbert Fountain	Elder E. McClendon	Ronnie Musgrove	Katie Perrone	Catherine M. Starr
Adams	427	320	7,501	284	347
Alcorn	805	629	6,037	535	323
Amite	451	314	3,909	257	211
Attala	602	348	4,185	258	300
Benton	183	270	3,202	168	198
Bolivar	418	280	6,197	298	240
Calhoun	432	381	3,627	239	298
Carroll	627	254	2,661	308	304
Chickasaw	355	427	5,342	284	329
Choctaw	320	247	1,914	155	193
Claiborne	157	132	2,924	110	121
Clarke	329	214	2,724	136	209
Clay	509	542	6,534	306	419
Coahoma	350	259	5,360	314	202
Copiah	718	493	5,736	437	521
Covington	750	294	4,209	256	355
DeSoto	34	54	1,258	50	41
Forrest	259	382	4,752	185	234
Franklin	310	241	2,348	186	196
George	487	376	4,432	257	363
Greene	480	337	3,465	182	264
Grenada	528	357	4,063	297	369
Hancock	487	354	5,133	587	447
Harrison	515	337	7,032	431	359
Hinds	1,259	1,206	28,816	697	1,068
Holmes	291	221	4,958	152	161
Humphreys	230	189	3,383	193	259
Issaquena	58	82	674	48	48
Itawamba	665	658	5,888	416	491
Jackson	307	218	5,600	212	283
Jasper	736	521	4,307	284	317
Jefferson	107	138	2,988	156	110
Jefferson Davis	351	244	3,865	202	270
Jones	1,858	759	9,741	849	995
Kemper	285	162	2,896	214	231
Lafayette	546	413	5,211	434	450
Lamar	141	153	1,916	100	147
Lauderdale	144	135	3,244	97	102
Lawrence	555	273	3,961	263	375
Leake	528	286	3,271	245	278
Lee	935	857	10,606	623	722
Leflore	176	111	2,481	335	99
Lincoln	1,049	771	6,779	601	622
Lowndes	284	251	5,634	202	279
Madison	142	178	6,214	143	136
Marion	1,081	455	503	5,240	568
Marshall	580	649	6,834	283	423
Monroe	865	662	9,164	568	635
Montgomery	195	159	2,179	148	161
Neshoba	762	295	4,586	329	434
Newton	664	269	2,882	218	272
Noxubee	213	176	4,345	169	169
Oktibbeha	349	245	4,491	187	310
Panola	543	527	6,317	363	380
Pearl River	295	228	3,279	277	262
Perry	450	302	2,594	155	288

GOVERNOR (Cont.)

County	Gilbert Fountain	Elder E. McClendon	Ronnie Musgrove	Katie Perrone	Catherine M. Starr
Pike	733	481	8,716	415	402
Pontotoc	647	767	5,768	369	465
Prentiss	466	527	6,371	292	347
Quitman	178	217	3,327	178	220
Rankin	123	126	3,746	99	104
Scott	977	409	5,203	358	445
Sharkey	178	132	1,553	84	100
Simpson	593	385	4,075	219	323
Smith	856	530	3,773	364	461
Stone	460	274	2,847	256	273
Sunflower	369	351	5,622	277	316
Tallahatchie	599	345	4,090	281	290
Tate	300	333	3,607	258	305
Tippah	439	573	6,273	400	449
Tishomingo	657	634	4,852	449	519
Tunica	151	173	1,967	129	154
Union	480	545	6,095	336	404
Walthall	493	369	4,020	280	288
Warren	288	188	4,405	171	194
Washington	475	1,392	8,640	329	594
Wayne	852	461	5,437	371	477
Webster	382	316	2,669	239	239
Wilkinson	229	237	2,983	189	246
Winston	749	381	5,371	389	420
Yalobusha	429	398	3,833	329	348
Yazoo	405	242	2,869	170	250
TOTAL	**39,685**	**30,421**	**392,264**	**28,154**	**26,821**
PERCENTAGES	7.7%	5.9%	75.8%	5.4%	5.2%

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

County	Barbara Blackmon	Troy D. Brown, Sr.	James L. Roberts, Jr.
Adams	5,886	965	1,903
Alcorn	2,509	1,038	4,691
Amite	2,513	559	2,051
Attala	3,004	438	2,496
Benton	1,579	655	1,661
Bolivar	5,348	695	1,565
Calhoun	1,988	314	2,980
Carroll	1,982	400	2,024
Chickasaw	2,979	404	3,573
Choctaw	1,156	225	1,573
Claiborne	2,799	239	435
Clarke	2,149	373	1,130
Clay	4,836	568	3,086
Coahoma	3,751	818	1,553
Copiah	4,792	483	2,900
Covington	2,909	418	2,765
DeSoto	836	249	293
Forrest	4,138	361	1,432
Franklin	1,629	398	1,350
George	2,299	1,183	2,255
Greene	1,732	694	2,341
Grenada	3,185	513	2,087
Hancock	3,598	1,329	1,860
Harrison	6,892	504	1,338
Hinds	27,396	1,203	5,529
Holmes	4,561	351	980

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Cont.)

County	Barbara Blackmon	Troy D. Brown, Sr.	James L. Roberts, Jr.
Humphreys	3,035	195	1,283
Issaquena	637	84	213
Itawamba	2,518	700	5,244
Jackson	5,107	503	952
Jasper	3,516	665	1,928
Jefferson	2,926	293	330
Jefferson Davis	3,168	266	1,779
Jones	7,463	939	6,173
Kemper	2,232	369	1,275
Lafayette	2,890	590	3,733
Lamar	1,562	186	729
Lauderdale	3,275	182	352
Lawrence	2,747	549	2,231
Leake	2,589	341	1,838
Lee	5,062	580	9,357
Leflore	2,813	725	286
Lincoln	4,066	755	4,933
Lowndes	4,976	414	1,384
Madison	6,471	186	542
Marion	3,993	939	2,982
Marshall	4,293	1,687	2,533
Monroe	5,228	956	6,101
Montgomery	1,775	203	945
Neshoba	2,652	814	3,166
Newton	2,101	585	2,054
Noxubee	3,540	514	1,083
Oktibbeha	3,756	379	1,606
Panola	4,104	783	3,234
Pearl River	2,421	628	1,186
Perry	1,757	430	1,696
Pike	5,891	1,173	3,584
Pontotoc	1,120	242	7,641
Prentiss	2,604	843	4,621
Quitman	1,984	783	1,266
Rankin	3,383	146	727
Scott	3,566	807	3,305
Sharkey	1,508	152	430
Simpson	2,849	468	2,439
Smith	2,232	603	3,338
Stone	500	2,091	1,554
Sunflower	4,496	501	2,017
Tallahatchie	3,232	576	1,929
Tate	2,130	664	1,811
Tippah	1,985	1,222	4,898
Tishomingo	2,736	814	3,505
Tunica	1,232	473	647
Union	1,925	585	5,711
Walthall	2,457	808	2,119
Warren	4,108	288	1,004
Washington	8,063	900	1,620
Wayne	3,443	875	3,421
Webster	1,513	334	2,094
Wilkinson	2,364	668	847
Winston	3,803	648	3,119
Yalobusha	2,381	855	2,167
Yazoo	2,553	179	1,391
TOTAL	**283,177**	**49,515**	**194,204**
PERCENTAGES	53.7%	9.4%	36.9%

STATE TREASURER

County	Gary Anderson	Cindy Ayers Elliott	Robert H. (Rob) Smith
Adams	2,656	2,447	2,489
Alcorn	2,989	1,968	2,547
Amite	2,356	1,135	1,491
Attala	1,632	1,484	2,572
Benton	1,022	2,087	741
Bolivar	2,703	1,151	1,632
Calhoun	2,351	930	1,669
Carroll	1,443	956	1,750
Chickasaw	2,308	1,677	2,636
Choctaw	913	479	1,387
Claiborne	1,458	807	740
Clarke	1,289	892	1,275
Clay	2,131	1,607	4,412
Coahoma	2,126	1,375	1,839
Copiah	2,620	1,538	3,303
Covington	2,194	973	2,792
DeSoto	521	535	275
Forrest	2,334	1,207	2,032
Franklin	1,169	811	1,221
George	2,114	1,177	2,364
Greene	1,619	923	2,052
Grenada	1,822	1,562	1,918
Hancock	2,104	1,966	2,577
Harrison	3,729	2,730	1,811
Hinds	16,762	6,823	8,128
Holmes	3,157	797	1,505
Humphreys	1,840	869	1,332
Issaquena	305	184	262
Itawamba	2,619	2,260	3,240
Jackson	2,412	2,162	1,581
Jasper	2,778	1,159	1,992
Jefferson	1,363	988	841
Jefferson Davis	2,920	730	1,328
Jones	6,085	2,627	5,415
Kemper	1,481	696	1,577
Lafayette	3,651	1,630	1,430
Lamar	1,071	635	633
Lauderdale	1,530	1,018	775
Lawrence	2,320	1,230	1,873
Leake	1,719	875	1,976
Lee	4,347	3,989	4,578
Leflore	1,839	528	596
Lincoln	3,550	2,055	3,984
Lowndes	1,988	1,757	2,370
Madison	2,782	1,556	1,764
Marion	3,921	1,454	2,397
Marshall	4,751	1,952	1,547
Monroe	3,395	3,559	4,715
Montgomery	1,304	566	872
Neshoba	2,516	1,540	2,375
Newton	2,006	845	1,794
Noxubee	2,022	1,046	1,359
Oktibbeha	1,419	1,374	2,521
Panola	3,869	1,783	2,122
Pearl River	1,462	1,066	1,552
Perry	1,517	906	1,340
Pike	4,158	3,195	3,032
Pontotoc	2,504	2,128	3,340

STATE TREASURER (Cont.)

County	Gary Anderson	Cindy Ayers Elliott	Robert H. (Rob) Smith
Prentiss	2,061	2,059	3,525
Quitman	1,314	1,247	1,343
Rankin	1,514	922	1,619
Scott	3,134	1,373	2,956
Sharkey	747	487	657
Simpson	1,160	829	3,813
Smith	2,112	873	3,123
Stone	1,645	846	1,483
Sunflower	2,971	1,682	1,891
Tallahatchie	1,938	1,854	1,588
Tate	1,604	1,420	1,495
Tippah	2,565	2,314	2,895
Tishomingo	1,943	2,368	2,326
Tunica	864	589	727
Union	2,533	2,052	2,962
Walthall	2,158	1,279	1,815
Warren	2,629	1,076	1,182
Washington	3,882	2,733	2,430
Wayne	3,224	1,583	2,767
Webster	998	686	2,152
Wilkinson	1,515	975	1,078
Winston	2,372	1,818	3,043
Yalobusha	2,017	1,296	1,884
Yazoo	1,454	708	1,441
TOTAL	**197,320**	**121,468**	**173,866**
PERCENTAGES	40.1%	24.7%	35.3%

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN

County	Bo Robinson	Benton White
Alcorn	6,272	1,288
Attala	4,570	1,181
Benton	2,749	915
Calhoun	4,195	922
Carroll	2,446	1,847
Chickasaw	5,697	1,035
Choctaw	2,399	472
Clay	7,172	1,042
Coahoma	3,798	1,183
DeSoto	837	462
Grenada	4,685	838
Itawamba	6,633	1,658
Lafayette	5,041	1,449
Lee	11,295	2,066
Leflore	1,924	676
Lowndes	4,775	1,291
Marshall	5,818	1,657
Monroe	10,994	1,416
Montgomery	1,935	748
Oktibbeha	4,155	1,063
Panola	5,538	1,950
Pontotoc	7,021	1,220
Prentiss	6,409	1,559
Quitman	2,620	1,258
Tallahatchie	3,576	1,762
Tate	3,285	1,048
Tippah	6,591	1,477
Tishomingo	5,181	1,679

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN (Cont.)

County	Bo Robinson	Benton White
Tunica	1,308	799
Union	6,617	1,284
Webster	3,405	645
Winston	6,031	1,326
Yalobusha	3,838	1,416
TOTAL	**158,810**	**40,632**
PERCENTAGES	79.6%	20.4%

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN

County	A.T. Marlar, Jr.	William R. (Bill) Minor	Thomas (Tom) Todd
Alcorn	3,313	2,472	2,122
Attala	490	3,606	1,509
Benton	220	3,200	642
Calhoun	495	2,340	2,123
Carroll	319	2,673	1,074
Chickasaw	498	3,193	2,908
Choctaw	303	1,607	859
Clay	854	4,191	2,941
Coahoma	718	3,440	1,071
DeSoto	113	756	366
Grenada	993	2,877	1,525
Itawamba	607	3,753	3,871
Lafayette	573	4,177	1,862
Lee	991	7,182	5,025
Leflore	527	1,505	412
Lowndes	608	3,565	1,744
Marshall	605	6,632	1,234
Monroe	975	6,764	3,995
Montgomery	287	1,530	802
Oktibbeha	569	3,037	1,370
Panola	585	5,243	1,957
Pontotoc	327	2,198	6,054
Prentiss	952	3,859	3,034
Quitman	451	2,232	1,071
Tallahatchie	694	3,115	1,530
Tate	276	3,089	1,245
Tippah	683	4,337	3,119
Tishomingo	3,908	1,802	1,409
Tunica	389	1,056	725
Union	355	3,390	4,355
Webster	326	2,279	1,270
Winston	714	4,343	2,118
Yalobusha	437	3,115	1,721
TOTAL	**24,155**	**108,558**	**67,063**
PERCENTAGES	12.1%	54.3%	33.6%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 3

County	Benjamin F. Creekmore	T.R. Trout
Benton	2,550	1,253
Calhoun	2,447	2,612
Chickasaw	3,130	3,517
Lafayette	2,514	4,650
Marshall	3,931	3,761
Tippah	4,866	3,153
Union	6,020	2,506
TOTAL	**25,458**	**21,452**
PERCENTAGES	54.3%	45.7%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 8

County	Mark Duncan	Johnny Pope
Leake	1,693	3,314
Neshoba	2,126	4,853
Newton	2,965	1,951
Scott	3,872	3,890
TOTAL	**10,656**	**14,008**
PERCENTAGES	43.2%	56.8%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 13

County	Eddie H. Bowen	Wilton A. McNair	Stan Sorey
Covington	1,537	1,968	2,100
Jasper	2,502	1,741	1,851
Simpson	2,414	1,437	1,873
Smith	2,874	654	2,963
TOTAL	**9,327**	**5,800**	**8,787**
PERCENTAGES	39.0%	24.3%	36.7%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 14

County	Dewitt (Dee) T. Bates, Jr.	Nelson Estess	Hilton R. Miller	Gus G. Sermos
Lincoln	4,587	2,162	2,074	1,193
Pike	3,660	2,126	4,297	942
Walthall	1,641	2,020	1,373	680
TOTAL	**9,888**	**6,308**	**7,744**	**2,815**
PERCENTAGES	37.0%	23.6%	28.9%	10.5%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 18

County	Anthony J. Buckley	C. Grant Hedgepeth
Jones	8,428	6,755
TOTAL	**8,428**	**6,755**
PERCENTAGES	55.5%	44.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 2

County	Tom Coward	Ralph H. Doxey	Danny Q. Jackson	Lennell Lucas
Benton	512	2,012	802	707
Marshall	627	4,262	672	3,341
Tippah	1,006	1,513	1,384	480
TOTAL	**2,145**	**7,787**	**2,858**	**4,528**
PERCENTAGES	12.4%	45.0%	16.5%	26.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 3

County	Nickey Browning	Carl Sudduth	Tim Tucker	Patty Whitten Young
Calhoun	753	264	409	214
Pontotoc	5,217	1,076	1,154	611
Union	5,456	1,296	1,013	542
TOTAL	**11,426**	**2,636**	**2,576**	**1,367**
PERCENTAGES	63.5%	14.6%	14.3%	7.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 5

County	Brad Morris	J.P. Wilemon, Jr.
Itawamba	3,028	4,247
Prentiss	2,674	5,219
Tishomingo	586	3,592
TOTAL	**6,288**	**13,058**
PERCENTAGES	32.5%	67.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 6

County	Doyle Lambert	Sherry M. Pittman
Lee	3,728	4,150
Pontotoc	303	279
TOTAL	**4,031**	**4,429**
PERCENTAGES	47.6%	52.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 8

County	Jack Gordon	Raymond A. Paden
Calhoun	1,748	1,327
Chickasaw	3,518	3,529
Grenada	2,138	898
Lee	1,490	1,339
TOTAL	**8,894**	**7,093**
PERCENTAGES	55.6%	44.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 11

County	Joseph Dulaney	Robert Jackson	James Newton	Joe Phillips, Sr.
Coahoma	3,456	2,529	281	492
Quitman	1,254	2,467	427	213
Tate	591	235	35	53
Tunica	1,729	899	71	72
TOTAL	**7,030**	**6,130**	**814**	**830**
PERCENTAGES	47.5%	41.4%	5.5%	5.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 13

County	Terrence Hurssey, Sr.	Willie Simmons
Bolivar	569	2,144
Humphreys	1,781	547
Sunflower	2,504	4,392
TOTAL	**4,854**	**7,083**
PERCENTAGES	40.7%	59.3%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 15

County	Gloria J. Liddell	Cecil L. Simmons
Attala	270	506
Calhoun	130	282
Choctaw	1,138	1,821
Montgomery	287	1,530
Oktibbeha	1,117	1,915
Webster	1,340	2,672
Winston	230	292
TOTAL	**4,512**	**9,018**
PERCENTAGES	33.3%	66.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 21

County	Eugene Fouche'	Kenneth Wayne Jones	Rob Martin	Alice Julius Scott	Joseph C. Thomas
Attala	315	417	230	256	160
Holmes	181	93	69	232	79
Madison	203	1,117	886	2,098	233
Yazoo	1,091	198	259	597	1,470
TOTAL	**1,790**	**1,825**	**1,444**	**3,183**	**1,942**
PERCENTAGES	17.6%	17.9%	14.2%	31.3%	19.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 28

County	Pam Confer	Alice Varnado Harden
Hinds	1,631	4,171
TOTAL	**1,631**	**4,171**
PERCENTAGES	28.1%	71.9%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 34

County	Dennis R. Robinson	Jack N. Staples	Billy H. Thames
Jasper	1,321	1,179	3,696
Jones	725	968	878
Scott	922	451	1,942
Smith	2,087	467	3,895
TOTAL	**5,055**	**3,065**	**10,411**
PERCENTAGES	27.3%	16.5%	56.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 36

County	E. Vincent Davis	Johnnie McDaniels	Lynn Posey
Claiborne	725	1,743	1,037
Copiah	2,005	822	4,299
Hinds	246	131	309
Jefferson	1,833	171	1,649
TOTAL	**4,809**	**2,867**	**7,294**
PERCENTAGES	32.1%	19.2%	48.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 38

County	Kelvin E. Butler	Robert L. Johnson III
Adams	172	1,509
Amite	1,322	1,016
Pike	4,443	3,230
Walthall	783	599
Wilkinson	1,854	2,009
TOTAL	**8,574**	**8,363**
PERCENTAGES	50.6%	49.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 39

County	Cindy Hyde-Smith	W.L. Rayborn
Lawrence	4,086	1,818
Lincoln	6,472	3,893
Simpson	1,386	588
TOTAL	**11,944**	**6,299**
PERCENTAGES	65.5%	34.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 42

County	Jones Brogdon	Randy Ellzey
Jones	5,211	6,904
TOTAL	**5,211**	**6,904**
PERCENTAGES	43.0%	57.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 43

County	Billy Z. Gordon	Sherra Hillman Lane	James (Shannon) Walley
George	2,042	1,626	2,263
Greene	1,693	1,312	2,070
Stone	652	162	144
Wayne	1,605	3,563	2,665
TOTAL	**5,992**	**6,663**	**7,142**
PERCENTAGES	30.3%	33.7%	36.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 45

County	Craig F. Ducksworth	Ray T. Price
Forrest	840	1,054
Lamar	91	55
Pearl River	399	494
Perry	838	1,287
Stone	222	310
TOTAL	**2,390**	**3,200**
PERCENTAGES	42.8%	57.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 1

County	Ricky A. Cummings	Brian Johnson
Alcorn	1,503	874
Tishomingo	3,887	2,096
TOTAL	**5,390**	**2,970**
PERCENTAGES	64.5%	35.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 4

County	Steve Fisher	Greg Ward
Benton	13	38
Tippah	1,552	6,921
Union	197	250
TOTAL	**1,762**	**7,209**
PERCENTAGES	19.6%	80.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 5

County	Samantha Bean McKinnie	Kelvin Buck	Hoyt Johnson	Ronnie Luther
Benton	121	48	114	407
Marshall	1,045	2,159	749	1,415
TOTAL	**1,166**	**2,207**	**863**	**1,822**
PERCENTAGES	19.2%	36.4%	14.2%	30.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 9

County	Clayton P. Henderson	Christopher Thomas, Sr.
Coahoma	244	123
Panola	285	81
Quitman	2,079	577
Tate	626	278
Tunica	2,021	397
TOTAL	**5,255**	**1,456**
PERCENTAGES	78.3%	21.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 10

County	James D. (Dennis) Bullard	Warner F. McBride
Lafayette	679	1,035
Panola	713	3,382
Tallahatchie	57	247
TOTAL	**1,449**	**4,664**
PERCENTAGES	23.7%	76.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 14

County	Pam Denham	Randy Mitchell	Margaret Ellis Rogers
Pontotoc	73	142	70
Union	1,824	2,808	3,134
TOTAL	**1,897**	**2,950**	**3,204**
PERCENTAGES	23.6%	36.6%	39.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 15

County	Keith Herring	Pat Montgomery	Jon David Naugher
Pontotoc	1,578	3,919	2,375
TOTAL	**1,578**	**3,919**	**2,375**
PERCENTAGES	20.0%	49.8%	30.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 17

County	Leon Clay	Kelly L. Mims
Lee	2,109	2,168
TOTAL	**2,109**	**2,168**
PERCENTAGES	49.3%	50.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 18

County	Christi Antillon-Webb	Scott Messer	Billy W. Shelton
Lee	1,357	1,481	634
Prentiss	954	183	227
TOTAL	**2,311**	**1,664**	**861**
PERCENTAGES	47.8%	34.4%	17.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 19

County	James R. (Jamie) Franks, Jr.	Sid Kirksey
Itawamba	2,060	1,968
Lee	1,555	771
Tishomingo	912	608
TOTAL	**4,527**	**3,347**
PERCENTAGES	57.5%	42.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 22

County	James (Jay) Gore	Lamon K. Griggs	Donnie W. Sullivan	Preston E. Sullivan
Calhoun	397	172	80	79
Chickasaw	2,153	1,619	1,170	2,033
Pontotoc	129	157	166	129
TOTAL	**2,679**	**1,948**	**1,416**	**2,241**
PERCENTAGES	32.3%	23.5%	17.1%	27.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 23

County	Joe T. (Joey) Grist, Jr.	Steve Whitten
Calhoun	2,062	2,192
Clay	153	214
Oktibbeha	301	460
Webster	312	689
TOTAL	**2,828**	**3,555**
PERCENTAGES	44.3%	55.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 24

County	Sidney W. Bondurant	Donny Ryals
Calhoun	66	77
Grenada	2,748	2,342
Yalobusha	564	563
TOTAL	**3,378**	**2,982**
PERCENTAGES	53.1%	46.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 26

County	Chuck Espy	Buster Moton
Coahoma	3,059	801
Quitman	713	196
TOTAL	**3,772**	**997**
PERCENTAGES	79.1%	20.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 30

County	Robert E. Huddleston	Mark Morgan
Bolivar	361	90
Leflore	44	11
Quitman	352	95
Sunflower	947	733
Tallahatchie	1,568	675
TOTAL	**3,272**	**1,604**
PERCENTAGES	67.1%	32.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 33

County	Thomas U. (Tommy) Reynolds	Johnny (Greene) Sayle
Lafayette	602	271
Tallahatchie	2,811	664
Yalobusha	3,920	731
TOTAL	**7,333**	**1,666**
PERCENTAGES	81.5%	18.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 35

County	Glenn D. Burdine	Jimmy W. (Pete) Powell
Choctaw	1,321	1,141
Grenada	16	69
Oktibbeha	513	563
Webster	1,343	1,637
TOTAL	**3,193**	**3,410**
PERCENTAGES	48.4%	51.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 36

County	David Gibbs	David W. Lambert
Clay	160	139
Lowndes	45	45
Monroe	1,442	616
TOTAL	**1,647**	**800**
PERCENTAGES	67.3%	32.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 43

County	Douglas A. Lovorn	Robert J. (Bobby) Moody	Linda Marshall Triplett
Kemper	181	446	127
Noxubee	28	24	0
Winston	2,333	4,403	1,470
TOTAL	**2,542**	**4,873**	**1,597**
PERCENTAGES	28.2%	54.1%	17.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 44

County	C. Scott Bounds	Mike Eakes	Danny R. Petty
Neshoba	2,881	2,542	410
TOTAL	**2,881**	**2,542**	**410**
PERCENTAGES	49.4%	43.6%	7.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 47

County	Bryant W. Clark	Leroy J. Johnson
Attala	66	13
Holmes	2,631	1,184
Yazoo	1,020	274
TOTAL	**3,717**	**1,471**
PERCENTAGES	71.6%	28.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 48

County	Charles (Chuck) Edwards	John Shaw	Mary Ann Stevens
Attala	601	1,928	1,195
Carroll	154	67	442
Choctaw	265	69	183
Holmes	810	106	1,053
Humphreys	71	16	125
Leake	67	66	81
TOTAL	**1,968**	**2,252**	**3,079**
PERCENTAGES	27.0%	30.9%	42.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 51

County	Allen Gary Farmer	Rufus E. (Pete) Straughter	Robert Williams
Humphreys	1,054	1,887	540
Issaquena	17	83	136
Sharkey	286	884	356
Washington	84	82	82
Yazoo	77	419	0
TOTAL	**1,518**	**3,355**	**1,114**
PERCENTAGES	25.4%	56.0%	18.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 65

County	Christopher M. Bell	Mary H. Coleman
Hinds	1,021	2,787
Madison	26	65
TOTAL	**1,047**	**2,852**
PERCENTAGES	26.9%	73.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 66

County	Cecil Brown	James D. (Jay) Disharoon	Chris Klotz
Hinds	2,083	87	977
TOTAL	**2,083**	**87**	**977**
PERCENTAGES	66.2%	2.8%	31.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 68

County	Credell Calhoun	Tom L. Wallace
Hinds	1,648	1,077
TOTAL	**1,648**	**1,077**
PERCENTAGES	60.5%	39.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 75

County	Tracy Arinder	Tom Miles	Henry D. Minor	L.G. Sessums II
Scott	2,320	2,079	895	957
TOTAL	**2,320**	**2,079**	**895**	**957**
PERCENTAGES	37.1%	33.3%	14.3%	15.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 79

County	Blaine (Bo) Eaton	Larry F. Gibson	Jimmy L. Lofton, Sr.
Covington	840	169	91
Jones	1,016	301	135
Smith	2,885	2,218	784
TOTAL	**4,741**	**2,688**	**1,010**
PERCENTAGES	56.2%	31.9%	12.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 80

County	Omeria McDonald Scott	Larry Eugene Thomas
Clarke	538	400
Jasper	886	520
Jones	1,339	1,656
TOTAL	**2,763**	**2,576**
PERCENTAGES	51.8%	48.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 85

County	Arnold E. Clark, Jr.	Walter Huston	America (Chuck) Middleton
Adams	335	196	474
Claiborne	498	172	1,973
Hinds	18	10	17
Jefferson	979	601	1,595
Warren	62	16	32
TOTAL	**1,892**	**995**	**4,091**
PERCENTAGES	27.1%	14.3%	58.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 86

County	Samuel (Sam) F. Britton	Tom Kittrell	Joe Taylor
Clarke	25	39	87
Perry	51	285	538
Wayne	1,999	1,777	3,956
TOTAL	**2,075**	**2,101**	**4,581**
PERCENTAGES	23.7%	24.0%	52.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 91

County	Antrease Magee Autman	Joey E. Hudson
Copiah	71	144
Covington	63	77
Jefferson Davis	1,390	1,512
Lawrence	1,883	2,502
Simpson	279	280
TOTAL	**3,686**	**4,515**
PERCENTAGES	44.9%	55.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 97

County	Derrick Dahl	Chad L. Toney
Adams	991	367
Amite	765	548
Franklin	39	41
Lawrence	196	241
Pike	1,859	1,214
Walthall	149	185
TOTAL	**3,999**	**2,596**
PERCENTAGES	60.6%	39.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 98

County	William R. Brown	James Hall	David W. Myers	Larry Singleton
Pike	1,269	1,032	3,321	568
Walthall	110	184	191	85
TOTAL	**1,379**	**1,216**	**3,512**	**653**
PERCENTAGES	20.4%	18.0%	52.0%	9.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 99

County	Bill Pigott	Zach Rushing	Robert E. Vince
Lamar	126	118	115
Marion	740	848	1,489
Pike	248	286	150
Walthall	1,317	1,696	1,880
TOTAL	**2,431**	**2,948**	**3,634**
PERCENTAGES	27.0%	32.7%	40.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 100

County	O.K. Kenney Moore	Ken Morgan
Jefferson Davis	128	64
Lamar	185	309
Marion	2,454	2,745
TOTAL	**2,767**	**3,118**
PERCENTAGES	47.0%	53.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 105

County	Randy (Bubba) Pierce	Sue Turner
Forrest	29	14
George	384	92
Greene	4,621	553
Perry	1,863	397
Wayne	289	123
TOTAL	**7,186**	**1,179**
PERCENTAGES	85.9%	14.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 106

County	Jesse E. Dedeaux	Sherry Morris
Lamar	47	32
Pearl River	885	1,646
TOTAL	**932**	**1,678**
PERCENTAGES	35.7%	64.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 107

County	Jimmy Howell	Mike Howell	Doug Lee	Deryk R. Parker	Greg Reeves	Nolan (Dink) Walker
Forrest	23	11	25	25	4	62
George	439	325	1,366	1,720	487	318
Jackson	0	1	0	23	0	4
Stone	166	139	501	717	214	841
TOTAL	**628**	**476**	**1,892**	**2,485**	**705**	**1,225**
PERCENTAGES	8.5%	6.4%	25.5%	33.5%	9.5%	16.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 110

County	Billy Broomfield	Mitch Ellerby
Jackson	1,730	970
TOTAL	**1,730**	**970**
PERCENTAGES	64.1%	35.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 115

County	Jamie Creel	Glenn Edwin Endris	Randall Patterson
Harrison	459	206	983
TOTAL	**459**	**206**	**983**
PERCENTAGES	27.9%	12.5%	59.6%

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GOVERNOR

County	Haley Barbour	Mitchell H. (Mitch) Tyner, Sr.
Adams	1,379	107
Alcorn	235	27
Amite	124	9
Attala	207	37
Benton	31	3
Bolivar	378	19
Calhoun	621	59
Carroll	100	7
Chickasaw	100	14
Choctaw	201	34
Claiborne	41	2
Clarke	1,677	211
Clay	42	5
Coahoma	20	0
Copiah	677	93
Covington	320	10
DeSoto	13,342	3,643
Forrest	5,662	980
Franklin	248	33
George	304	51
Greene	49	3
Grenada	296	28
Hancock	1,688	327
Harrison	10,391	3,311
Hinds	18,596	2,114
Holmes	7	0
Humphreys	11	1
Issaquena	2	2
Itawamba	92	8
Jackson	12,125	4,016
Jasper	96	12
Jefferson	36	0
Jefferson Davis	90	3
Jones	3,465	429
Kemper	86	8
Lafayette	897	99
Lamar	7,532	1,885
Lauderdale	9,973	1,876
Lawrence	56	4
Leake	1,153	224
Lee	2,511	269
Leflore	2,215	135
Lincoln	821	77
Lowndes	5,095	387
Madison	11,711	2,602
Marion	786	99
Marshall	175	41
Monroe	241	30
Montgomery	513	44
Neshoba	991	147
Newton	472	60
Noxubee	24	1
Oktibbeha	2,412	169
Panola	398	21
Pearl River	5,288	1,334
Perry	168	21
Pike	1,093	118

GOVERNOR (Cont.)

County	Haley Barbour	Mitchell H. (Mitch) Tyner, Sr.
Pontotoc	521	64
Prentiss	392	61
Quitman	3	1
Rankin	18,781	5,051
Scott	220	27
Sharkey	61	4
Simpson	1,728	410
Smith	347	47
Stone	511	128
Sunflower	92	15
Tallahatchie	39	3
Tate	597	72
Tippah	46	10
Tishomingo	107	17
Tunica	2	1
Union	276	40
Walthall	140	15
Warren	3,400	364
Washington	822	42
Wayne	108	19
Webster	217	27
Wilkinson	10	4
Winston	131	12
Yalobusha	18	1
Yazoo	2,451	78
TOTAL	**158,284**	**31,762**
PERCENTAGES	83.3%	16.7%

STATE TREASURER

County	Wayne Burkes	Andrew Ketchings	Tate Reeves
Adams	57	1,373	73
Alcorn	71	70	64
Amite	35	57	28
Attala	88	53	81
Benton	14	13	4
Bolivar	124	46	64
Calhoun	194	150	243
Carroll	56	23	23
Chickasaw	44	45	14
Choctaw	105	48	46
Claiborne	20	6	16
Clarke	739	241	706
Clay	14	14	10
Coahoma	11	4	4
Copiah	215	136	355
Covington	110	57	154
DeSoto	4,826	3,635	5,761
Forrest	1,565	1,313	3,219
Franklin	50	81	111
George	121	78	139
Greene	18	11	15
Grenada	142	76	52
Hancock	482	507	870
Harrison	2,647	3,593	6,477
Hinds	5,037	1,550	7,265
Holmes	4	2	0

STATE TREASURER (Cont.)

County	Wayne Burkes	Andrew Ketchings	Tate Reeves
Humphreys	5	2	5
Issaquena	2	1	1
Itawamba	36	25	17
Jackson	3,739	2,839	8,089
Jasper	31	17	51
Jefferson	10	12	7
Jefferson Davis	31	26	25
Jones	1,224	557	1,804
Kemper	36	11	42
Lafayette	281	237	286
Lamar	2,618	1,786	4,221
Lauderdale	4,633	1,325	4,750
Lawrence	22	12	24
Leake	820	122	404
Lee	807	813	598
Leflore	863	314	744
Lincoln	151	174	499
Lowndes	1,079	2,417	1,359
Madison	3,469	2,055	7,877
Marion	254	203	335
Marshall	93	53	35
Monroe	113	81	42
Montgomery	214	130	142
Neshoba	605	151	325
Newton	293	38	180
Noxubee	16	3	5
Oktibbeha	820	948	364
Panola	149	95	85
Pearl River	1,797	1,108	3,116
Perry	54	33	85
Pike	259	345	524
Pontotoc	193	175	110
Prentiss	153	110	92
Quitman	0	0	2
Rankin	5,969	2,496	14,270
Scott	93	35	97
Sharkey	26	10	20
Simpson	700	294	1,029
Smith	132	70	177
Stone	125	96	351
Sunflower	63	23	14
Tallahatchie	17	10	7
Tate	250	124	174
Tippah	14	20	16
Tishomingo	35	37	31
Tunica	0	0	2
Union	104	68	77
Walthall	17	26	79
Warren	1,340	745	1,203
Washington	293	125	332
Wayne	43	20	54
Webster	114	71	37
Wilkinson	3	10	1
Winston	58	27	31
Yalobusha	8	9	1
Yazoo	833	253	1,221
TOTAL	**51,896**	**33,969**	**81,263**
PERCENTAGES	31.1%	20.3%	48.6%

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE

County	Roger D. Crowder	Kyle Weston Magee	Max Phillips	Fred T. Smith
Adams	417	338	218	212
Alcorn	71	38	74	27
Amite	44	31	23	13
Attala	141	31	30	11
Benton	14	2	7	9
Bolivar	119	48	29	15
Calhoun	309	69	132	83
Carroll	60	12	18	9
Chickasaw	66	7	19	13
Choctaw	128	20	36	30
Claiborne	24	9	4	4
Clarke	667	177	521	211
Clay	25	4	6	5
Coahoma	12	1	5	1
Copiah	251	90	172	129
Covington	101	47	112	6
DeSoto	6,596	2,266	2,164	2,508
Forrest	1,886	946	1,952	953
Franklin	65	50	57	48
George	90	77	93	63
Greene	16	10	11	8
Grenada	155	37	52	22
Hancock	570	501	280	357
Harrison	4,356	2,578	2,480	2,344
Hinds	5,380	1,792	3,677	1,691
Holmes	2	0	4	0
Humphreys	7	0	3	1
Issaquena	3	0	0	1
Itawamba	42	11	20	12
Jackson	4,215	3,774	2,884	2,842
Jasper	33	14	42	9
Jefferson	12	3	4	7
Jefferson Davis	28	15	22	13
Jones	853	289	2,215	249
Kemper	42	7	28	12
Lafayette	325	135	155	178
Lamar	2,164	1,299	2,453	2,336
Lauderdale	4,713	1,342	2,346	1,371
Lawrence	21	10	16	8
Leake	763	110	302	76
Lee	1,053	267	447	446
Leflore	1,244	159	279	156
Lincoln	265	136	148	188
Lowndes	2,625	419	1,111	502
Madison	5,780	1,828	2,806	1,377
Marion	222	141	281	108
Marshall	68	29	37	42
Monroe	110	31	65	35
Montgomery	296	64	67	60
Neshoba	589	61	294	84
Newton	240	63	146	42
Noxubee	19	0	3	2
Oktibbeha	1,431	228	388	177
Panola	163	56	57	73
Pearl River	1,520	1,177	1,511	1,541
Perry	61	31	60	22
Pike	32	9	26	17
Pontotoc	286	52	88	76

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE (Cont.)

County	Roger D. Crowder	Kyle Weston Magee	Max Phillips	Fred T. Smith
Prentiss	142	14	150	86
Quitman	2	0	0	0
Rankin	8,745	3,183	5,738	3,173
Scott	101	21	52	34
Sharkey	29	5	12	6
Simpson	723	534	482	60
Smith	73	110	168	29
Stone	184	94	141	130
Sunflower	53	15	14	15
Tallahatchie	23	4	6	4
Tate	259	72	109	110
Tippah	18	9	12	14
Tishomingo	52	16	25	14
Tunica	2	1	0	0
Union	124	35	40	52
Walthall	31	18	48	11
Warren	1,453	580	430	492
Washington	273	159	169	91
Wayne	34	16	47	20
Webster	145	20	33	27
Wilkinson	5	5	2	1
Winston	105	5	17	5
Yalobusha	12	1	3	0
Yazoo	1,143	210	553	248
TOTAL	**64,521**	**26,068**	**38,731**	**25,457**
PERCENTAGES	41.7%	16.8%	25.0%	16.4%

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN

County	John M. Caldwell, Sr.	Larry Lee
Alcorn	176	39
Attala	153	53
Benton	25	6
Calhoun	373	220
Carroll	65	33
Chickasaw	80	26
Choctaw	140	54
Clay	*	*
Coahoma	15	5
DeSoto	13,249	2,569
Grenada	177	99
Itawamba	61	18
Lafayette	532	238
Lee	1,642	521
Leflore	1,248	560
Lowndes	3,845	775
Marshall	136	53
Monroe	179	54
Montgomery	347	119
Oktibbeha	1,487	533
Panola	279	68
Pontotoc	364	123
Prentiss	301	67
Quitman	2	0
Tallahatchie	25	13
Tate	496	86
Tippah	34	15

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN (Cont.)

County	John M. Caldwell, Sr.	Larry Lee
Tishomingo	.77	.21
Tunica	.3	.0
Union	.209	.59
Webster	.169	.52
Winston	.85	.30
Yalobusha	.11	.8
TOTAL	**.25,985**	**.6,517**
PERCENTAGES	.79.9%	.20.1%

** not on ballot*

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT TWO, SOUTHERN

County	Alana Abney	Arlin Regan
Adams	.488	.644
Amite	.34	.72
Clarke	.725	.753
Covington	.122	.163
Forrest	.2,736	.2,896
Franklin	.94	.117
George	.122	.179
Greene	.19	.23
Hancock	.831	.890
Harrison	.5,580	.6,239
Jackson	.6,898	.6,628
Jasper	.44	.44
Jefferson Davis	.37	.38
Jones	.1,684	.1,723
Lamar	.3,939	.4,407
Lawrence	.20	.33
Lincoln	.305	.398
Marion	.190	.601
Pearl River	.2,641	.2,936
Perry	.71	.97
Pike	.393	.651
Simpson	.937	.912
Smith	.153	.180
Stone	.225	.310
Walthall	.28	.70
Wayne	.53	.55
Wilkinson	.7	.7
TOTAL	**.28,376**	**.31,066**
PERCENTAGES	.47.7%	.52.3%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 19

County	Wendy Walker Martin	Albert Pettigrew	Dustin Thomas
George	.170	.66	.93
Greene	.19	.7	.17
Jackson	.8,380	.3,194	.3,329
TOTAL	**.8,569**	**.3,267**	**.3,439**
PERCENTAGES	.56.1%	.21.4%	.22.5%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 20

County	David Clark	Richard D. (Rick) Mitchell
Madison	.6,135	.7,025
Rankin	.12,603	.9,976
TOTAL	**.18,738**	**.17,001**
PERCENTAGES	.52.4%	.47.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 2

County	Margaret Delashmit	Thelbert Lesure
Benton	27	6
Marshall	131	124
Tippah	25	8
TOTAL	**183**	**138**
PERCENTAGES	57.0%	43.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 3

County	Bruce McCoy	Colonel Lee Newman
Calhoun	150	226
Pontotoc	334	145
Union	149	120
TOTAL	**633**	**491**
PERCENTAGES	56.3%	43.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 15

County	Gary Jackson	Loyd B. (Rob) Roberson II
Attala	27	5
Calhoun	21	7
Choctaw	195	38
Montgomery	124	23
Oktibbeha	1,027	1,031
Webster	159	78
Winston	31	9
TOTAL	**1,584**	**1,191**
PERCENTAGES	57.1%	42.9%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 18

County	Don L. Fulton	Willie Jackson
Leake	758	545
Neshoba	519	603
Winston	28	7
TOTAL	**1,305**	**1,155**
PERCENTAGES	53.0%	47.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 22

County	Eugene S. (Buck) Clarke	Steve Nick
Bolivar	62	19
Humphreys	7	3
Sharkey	41	13
Washington	593	169
Yazoo	397	343
TOTAL	**1,100**	**547**
PERCENTAGES	66.8%	33.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 29

County	Robert Walker	Richard G. White
Hinds	566	3,627
TOTAL	**566**	**3,627**
PERCENTAGES	13.5%	86.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 30

County	Monica Baldwin	Dean Kirby
Rankin	3,222	7,545
TOTAL	**3,222**	**7,545**
PERCENTAGES	29.9%	70.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 32

County	Willie Joe Coleman, Jr.	John (Johnny) White
Kemper	14	79
Lauderdale	336	591
Noxubee	5	12
Winston	30	38
TOTAL	**385**	**720**
PERCENTAGES	34.8%	65.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 35

County	Clifton (Cliff) Brown	Perry Lee
Copiah	73	130
Covington	31	12
Rankin	1,793	1,616
Simpson	333	1,219
TOTAL	**2,230**	**2,977**
PERCENTAGES	42.8%	57.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 40

County	Sidney (Sid) Albritton	Joseph T. Stogner	Duane Wheat
Marion	153	516	25
Pearl River	1,935	1,025	832
Walthall	13	114	0
TOTAL	**2,101**	**1,655**	**857**
PERCENTAGES	45.5%	35.9%	18.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 41

County	Raylawni Branch	Speedy Smith
Covington	75	175
Forrest	133	135
Jefferson Davis	17	59
Lamar	869	1,730
Marion	80	60
TOTAL	**1,174**	**2,159**
PERCENTAGES	35.2%	64.8%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 42

County	Sid Easterling	Stacey E. Pickering	Larry Wilson Welborn
Jones	1,032	1,884	695
TOTAL	**1,032**	**1,884**	**695**
PERCENTAGES	28.6%	52.2%	19.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 45

County	J. Ed Morgan	Charles (Charlie) Sherrill
Forrest	2,557	1,316
Lamar	178	60
Pearl River	715	641
Perry	57	45
Stone	57	42
TOTAL	**3,564**	**2,104**
PERCENTAGES	62.9%	37.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 51

County	Mickie Baria	Tommy Robertson
Jackson	3,653	4,580
TOTAL	**3,653**	**4,580**
PERCENTAGES	44.4%	55.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 4

County	Brandon D. Colom	A.S. Hogan
Benton	*	*
Tippah	27	23
Union	4	4
TOTAL	**31**	**27**
PERCENTAGES	53.4%	46.6%

** not on ballot*

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 6

County	Eugene Forrest Hamilton	Elsa P. Taylor
DeSoto	3,650	1,792
TOTAL	**3,650**	**1,792**
PERCENTAGES	67.1%	32.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 15

County	Albert Posey	Jeffrey D. Waldo
Pontotoc	146	371
TOTAL	**146**	**371**
PERCENTAGES	28.2%	71.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 18

County	Randy (RD) Daniel	Jerry R. Turner
Lee	173	619
Prentiss	15	107
TOTAL	**188**	**726**
PERCENTAGES	20.6%	79.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 23

County	Charles Jim Beckett	Stephen Scott Griffin
Calhoun	616	25
Clay	*	*
Oktibbeha	239	87
Webster	19	15
TOTAL	**874**	**127**
PERCENTAGES	87%	13%

** not on ballot*

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 35

County	Dannie L. Reed	William H. (Hank) Watson
Choctaw	174	36
Grenada	4	1
Oktibbeha	286	209
Webster	139	47
TOTAL	**603**	**293**
PERCENTAGES	67.3%	32.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 40

County	W.T. (Ted) Mayhall, Jr.	Kenneth Shackleford	John Wright
DeSoto	1,233	989	823
TOTAL	**1,233**	**989**	**823**
PERCENTAGES	40.5%	32.5%	27.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 44

County	Kiah Hitt	Kirk Morgan
Neshoba	197	689
TOTAL	**197**	**689**
PERCENTAGES	22.2%	77.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 53

County	Richard (Ricky) Baker	Caruther Whitehorn
Amite	12	1
Franklin	102	2
Lawrence	10	0
Lincoln	251	9
Pike	59	4
TOTAL	**434**	**16**
PERCENTAGES	96.4%	3.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 54

County	Chester W. Masterson	Alex Monsour
Issaquena	1	0
Sharkey	23	0
Warren	1,643	874
TOTAL	**1,667**	**874**
PERCENTAGES	65.6%	34.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 56

County	Jep Barbour	Philip Gunn
Hinds	212	1,575
Madison	1,014	941
Warren	110	175
Yazoo	1,468	96
TOTAL	**2,804**	**2,787**
PERCENTAGES	50.2%	49.8%

Note: A court-ordered re-vote took place in select precincts on October 14, 2003. See page 615 for results.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 59

County	Clayton Smith	Rita Wray
Rankin	3,813	1,974
TOTAL	**3,813**	**1,974**
PERCENTAGES	65.9%	34.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 60

County	Debbie Hankins	John L. Moore
Rankin	1,490	2,877
Simpson	12	24
TOTAL	**1,502**	**2,901**
PERCENTAGES	34.1%	65.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 64

County	Bill Denny	Joe Nosef
Hinds	2,271	1,781
Madison	336	271
TOTAL	**2,607**	**2,052**
PERCENTAGES	56.0%	44.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 73

County	Jim Ellington	Tony Moser
Hinds	1,780	769
TOTAL	**1,780**	**769**
PERCENTAGES	69.8%	30.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 74

County	Denise Auttonberry	Mark Baker	John M. Colette	Ted Dukes	Dan Pardue	Justin Sutton
Madison	967	699	232	77	130	45
Rankin	527	2,942	398	571	408	83
TOTAL	**1,494**	**3,641**	**630**	**648**	**538**	**128**
PERCENTAGES	21.1%	51.4%	8.9%	9.2%	7.6%	1.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 75

County	Joe N. Bell	Frank M. Herring
Scott	85	113
TOTAL	**85**	**113**
PERCENTAGES	42.9%	57.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 78

County	Thomas O. (Tom) Edwards	Shirley Jean Johnson
Neshoba	96	42
Newton	276	55
Scott	16	4
TOTAL	**388**	**101**
PERCENTAGES	79.3%	20.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 79

County	Larry L. Harvey	Wilford Ishee
Covington	9	2
Jones	337	76
Smith	298	59
TOTAL	**644**	**137**
PERCENTAGES	82.5%	17.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 84

County	Eric Robinson	John S. Slay
Clarke	840	509
Jasper	1	2
Lauderdale	2,524	1,050
Newton	24	13
TOTAL	**3,389**	**1,574**
PERCENTAGES	68.3%	31.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 88

County	Jonathan L. Hodge	Diane Atwood Jordan	Gary V. Staples
Jones	472	144	798
Perry	21	26	40
TOTAL	**493**	**170**	**838**
PERCENTAGES	32.8%	11.3%	55.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 95

County	Eric F. Necaise	James K. Overstreet	Robert J. Tompkins	Jessica Upshaw
Hancock	261	79	183	470
Harrison	200	110	441	436
TOTAL	**461**	**189**	**624**	**906**
PERCENTAGES	21.1%	8.7%	28.6%	41.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 97

County	Randall C. Love	Sam C. Mims
Adams	147	347
Amite	30	16
Franklin	3	0
Lawrence	11	5
Pike	413	424
Walthall	8	4
TOTAL	**612**	**796**
PERCENTAGES	43.5%	56.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 99

County	James R. Bates	Edward (Eddie) Morgan	William R. Stogner
Lamar	106	300	140
Marion	18	110	86
Pike	16	11	29
Walthall	42	27	31
TOTAL	**182**	**448**	**286**
PERCENTAGES	19.9%	48.9%	31.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 102

County	Derek Arrington	Lee Jarrell Davis
Forrest	992	1,667
Lamar	41	52
TOTAL	**1,033**	**1,719**
PERCENTAGES	37.5%	62.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 106

County	Herb Frierson	Mark Hines
Lamar	52	9
Pearl River	1,902	1,017
TOTAL	**1,954**	**1,026**
PERCENTAGES	65.6%	34.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 109

County	Billy J. Dycus, Jr.	Frank Hamilton
George	25	84
Jackson	732	2,889
TOTAL	**757**	**2,973**
PERCENTAGES	20.3%	79.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 111

County	Mike Mangum	Carmel Wells-Smith
Jackson	1,396	2,372
TOTAL	**1,396**	**2,372**
PERCENTAGES	37.0%	63.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 116

County	Leonard L. Bentz	Walter M. Freeman	Charles R. (Chuck) Stein
Harrison	1,605	627	360
TOTAL	**1,605**	**627**	**360**
PERCENTAGES	61.9%	24.2%	13.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 117

County	Patrick G. Collins	Michael Janus	C.T. Switzer, Jr.
Harrison	638	1,296	577
TOTAL	**638**	**1,296**	**577**
PERCENTAGES	25.4%	51.6%	23.0%

2003 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY RUN-OFF – AUGUST 26, 2003

STATE TREASURER

County	Gary Anderson	Robert H. (Rob) Smith
Adams	3,482	2,941
Alcorn	2,701	3,270
Amite	968	1,003
Attala	2,352	2,636
Benton	2,157	998
Bolivar	798	347
Calhoun	2,716	1,822
Carroll	1,659	1,799
Chickasaw	2,923	2,749
Choctaw	966	1,425
Claiborne	1,580	573
Clarke	1,565	1,359
Clay	2,055	3,603
Coahoma	2,828	2,298
Copiah	3,466	4,111
Covington	2,638	3,351
DeSoto	210	72
Forrest	1,287	969
Franklin	656	668
George	2,134	2,465
Greene	1,631	2,152
Grenada	1,017	926
Hancock	1,942	2,079
Harrison	2,198	551
Hinds	11,237	3,496
Holmes	2,128	971
Humphreys	2,326	1,377

***STATE TREASURER** (Cont.)*

County	Gary Anderson	Robert H. (Rob) Smith
Issaquena	153	130
Itawamba	2,970	4,517
Jackson	1,813	530
Jasper	3,123	2,340
Jefferson	2,029	925
Jefferson Davis	3,542	1,644
Jones	5,057	5,673
Kemper	1,956	2,061
Lafayette	3,761	2,103
Lamar	974	588
Lauderdale	860	328
Lawrence	2,884	2,582
Leake	1,194	1,319
Lee	3,424	3,529
Leflore	1,329	254
Lincoln	4,064	4,637
Lowndes	1,703	1,639
Madison	1,967	596
Marion	3,980	3,296
Marshall	5,103	1,640
Monroe	4,375	5,699
Montgomery	698	356
Neshoba	2,842	2,982
Newton	2,268	2,066
Noxubee	930	478
Oktibbeha	1,324	1,284
Panola	4,120	2,331
Pearl River	2,243	1,436
Perry	1,591	1,559
Pike	4,858	3,091
Pontotoc	3,368	3,872
Prentiss	1,611	3,723
Quitman	1,479	1,268
Rankin	977	688
Scott	2,993	3,166
Sharkey	949	906
Simpson	1,452	3,417
Smith	2,176	3,049
Stone	1,844	1,506
Sunflower	3,736	2,005
Tallahatchie	2,522	2,023
Tate	663	740
Tippah	3,394	3,555
Tishomingo	2,695	3,741
Tunica	763	749
Union	2,542	3,345
Walthall	1,977	1,863
Warren	1,017	278
Washington	2,367	944
Wayne	2,968	2,973
Webster	1,007	2,286
Wilkinson	1,191	668
Winston	3,290	4,211
Yalobusha	2,087	2,022
Yazoo	1,565	1,039
TOTAL	**189,388**	**165,661**
PERCENTAGES	53.3%	46.7%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 13

County	Eddie H. Bowen	Stan Sorey
Covington	2,881	3,162
Jasper	3,439	2,146
Simpson	2,496	2,474
Smith	2,527	2,891
TOTAL	**11,343**	**10,673**
PERCENTAGES	51.5%	48.5%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 14

County	Dewitt (Dee) T. Bates, Jr.	Hilton R. Miller
Lincoln	5,967	2,928
Pike	4,296	4,022
Walthall	2,939	1,474
TOTAL	**13,202**	**8,424**
PERCENTAGES	61.0%	39.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 2

County	Ralph H. Doxey	Lennell (Big Luke) Lucas
Benton	2,354	1,037
Marshall	3,794	3,347
Tippah	3,092	637
TOTAL	**9,240**	**5,021**
PERCENTAGES	64.8%	35.2%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 11

County	Joseph R. (Joe) Dulaney	Robert (Bobby) Jackson
Coahoma	3,066	3,468
Quitman	1,232	1,740
Tate	326	120
Tunica	1,022	798
TOTAL	**5,646**	**6,126**
PERCENTAGES	48.0%	52.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 21

County	Alice Julius Scott	Joseph C. Thomas
Attala	481	810
Holmes	220	184
Madison	1,580	322
Yazoo	728	1,746
TOTAL	**3,009**	**3,062**
PERCENTAGES	49.6%	50.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 36

County	E. Vincent Davis	Lynn Posey
Claiborne	1,598	776
Copiah	2,644	4,270
Hinds	233	313
Jefferson	1,850	1,385
TOTAL	**6,325**	**6,744**
PERCENTAGES	48.4%	51.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 43

County	Sherra Hillman Lane	James (Shannon) Walley
George	2,148	2,618
Greene	1,589	2,406
Stone	388	523
Wayne	3,398	2,738
TOTAL	**7,523**	**8,285**
PERCENTAGES	47.6%	52.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 5

County	Kelvin Buck	Ronnie Luther
Benton	254	205
Marshall	2,689	1,773
TOTAL	**2,943**	**1,978**
PERCENTAGES	59.8%	40.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 14

County	Randy Mitchell	Margaret Ellis Rogers
Pontotoc	143	143
Union	2,380	3,509
TOTAL	**2,523**	**3,652**
PERCENTAGES	40.9%	59.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 15

County	Pat Montgomery	Jon David Naugher
Pontotoc	3,870	3,059
TOTAL	**3,870**	**3,059**
PERCENTAGES	55.9%	44.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 18

County	Christi Antillon-Webb	Scott Messer
Lee	937	1,242
Prentiss	949	313
TOTAL	**1,886**	**1,555**
PERCENTAGES	54.8%	45.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 22

County	James (Jay) Gore	Preston E. Sullivan
Calhoun	446	244
Chickasaw	2,755	3,156
Pontotoc	226	353
TOTAL	**3,427**	**3,753**
PERCENTAGES	47.7%	52.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 44

County	C. Scott Bounds	Mike Eakes
Neshoba	2,954	2,128
TOTAL	**2,954**	**2,128**
PERCENTAGES	58.1%	41.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 48

County	John Shaw	Mary Ann Stevens
Attala	1,736	1,221
Carroll	166	459
Choctaw	109	336
Holmes	214	1,184
Humphreys	37	140
Leake	37	49
TOTAL	**2,299**	**3,389**
PERCENTAGES	40.4%	59.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 75

County	Tracy Arinder	Tom Miles
Scott	2,900	2,345
TOTAL	**2,900**	**2,345**
PERCENTAGES	55.3%	44.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 99

County	Zack Rushing	Robert E. Vince
Lamar	148	149
Marion	1,235	1,866
Pike	282	183
Walthall	1,465	1,960
TOTAL	**3,130**	**4,158**
PERCENTAGES	42.9%	57.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 107

County	Doug Lee	Deryk R. Parker
Forrest	40	38
George	1,432	2,234
Jackson	0	17
Stone	953	1,196
TOTAL	**2,425**	**3,485**
PERCENTAGES	41.0%	59.0%

2003 REPUBLICAN PRIMARY RUN-OFF – AUGUST 26, 2003

STATE TREASURER

County	Wayne Burkes	Tate Reeves
Adams	157	208
Alcorn	33	42
Amite	27	13
Attala	29	29
Benton	5	1
Bolivar	29	16
Calhoun	96	150
Carroll	7	12
Chickasaw	17	14
Choctaw	41	47
Claiborne	6	12
Clarke	379	374
Clay	4	5
Coahoma	4	3
Copiah	142	257
Covington	52	83

***STATE TREASURER** (Cont.)*

County	Wayne Burkes	Tate Reeves
DeSoto	1,165	1,625
Forrest	550	1,651
Franklin	11	57
George	70	74
Greene	8	13
Grenada	32	33
Hancock	295	537
Harrison	572	2,515
Hinds	1,725	3,770
Holmes	13	22
Humphreys	1	2
Issaquena	0	2
Itawamba	15	17
Jackson	1,652	5,177
Jasper	13	29
Jefferson	5	0
Jefferson Davis	17	31
Jones	610	1,393
Kemper	34	21
Lafayette	134	179
Lamar	2,080	5,444
Lauderdale	2,203	2,805
Lawrence	8	6
Leake	259	173
Lee	344	385
Leflore	379	742
Lincoln	54	258
Lowndes	715	1,442
Madison	857	2,933
Marion	195	292
Marshall	34	18
Monroe	48	43
Montgomery	58	62
Neshoba	245	167
Newton	137	99
Noxubee	8	3
Oktibbeha	327	341
Panola	82	46
Pearl River	1,093	2,287
Perry	12	45
Pike	93	330
Pontotoc	120	112
Prentiss	86	92
Quitman	0	2
Rankin	3,332	10,093
Scott	44	51
Sharkey	4	17
Simpson	456	923
Smith	63	90
Stone	59	160
Sunflower	15	14
Tallahatchie	12	7
Tate	46	57
Tippah	13	5
Tishomingo	18	21
Tunica	0	0
Union	37	48
Walthall	21	81

STATE TREASURER (Cont.)

County	Wayne Burkes	Tate Reeves
Warren	231	456
Washington	73	172
Wayne	14	27
Webster	57	26
Wilkinson	4	0
Winston	61	54
Yalobusha	1	2
Yazoo	258	621
TOTAL	**22,206**	**49,466**
PERCENTAGES	31.0%	69.0%

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE

County	Roger Crowder	Max Phillips
Adams	206	151
Alcorn	41	34
Amite	19	22
Attala	37	21
Benton	5	1
Bolivar	31	8
Calhoun	145	104
Carroll	16	3
Chickasaw	16	16
Choctaw	60	35
Claiborne	11	7
Clarke	362	382
Clay	4	5
Coahoma	3	4
Copiah	199	183
Covington	47	86
DeSoto	1,670	1,096
Forrest	872	1,285
Franklin	14	53
George	56	91
Greene	11	10
Grenada	44	25
Hancock	447	345
Harrison	1,598	1,399
Hinds	2,428	2,642
Holmes	21	14
Humphreys	1	2
Issaquena	0	2
Itawamba	20	14
Jackson	3,468	3,003
Jasper	22	20
Jefferson	2	3
Jefferson Davis	19	2
Jones	560	1,459
Kemper	25	27
Lafayette	185	124
Lamar	3,199	4,087
Lauderdale	2,485	2,412
Lawrence	9	8
Leake	201	221
Lee	446	296
Leflore	626	461
Lincoln	143	154

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE (Cont.)

County	Roger Crowder	Max Phillips
Lowndes	1,251	893
Madison	1,685	1,904
Marion	172	312
Marshall	35	21
Monroe	54	36
Montgomery	66	55
Neshoba	226	199
Newton	104	131
Noxubee	6	5
Oktibbeha	370	302
Panola	93	37
Pearl River	1,667	1,590
Perry	22	35
Pike	201	209
Pontotoc	152	86
Prentiss	85	102
Quitman	2	0
Rankin	6,284	6,539
Scott	49	46
Sharkey	11	9
Simpson	640	706
Smith	37	123
Stone	92	122
Sunflower	19	12
Tallahatchie	13	7
Tate	52	53
Tippah	15	3
Tishomingo	19	18
Tunica	0	0
Union	48	34
Walthall	40	59
Warren	401	257
Washington	120	119
Wayne	5	15
Webster	48	34
Wilkinson	3	1
Winston	102	28
Yalobusha	0	3
Yazoo	441	418
TOTAL	**34,404**	**34,840**
PERCENTAGES	49.7%	50.3%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 40

County	Sidney Albritton	Joseph T. Stogner
Marion	102	335
Pearl River	1,436	945
Walthall	17	107
TOTAL	**1,555**	**1,387**
PERCENTAGES	52.9%	47.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 40

County	W.T. Mayhall, Jr.	Kenneth Shackleford
DeSoto	629	399
TOTAL	**629**	**399**
PERCENTAGES	61.2%	38.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 95

County	Robert J. Tompkins	Jessica Upshaw
Hancock	150	429
Harrison	352	173
TOTAL	**502**	**602**
PERCENTAGES	45.5%	54.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 99

County	Edward (Eddie) Morgan	William R. Stogner
Lamar	341	112
Marion	98	68
Pike	51	48
Walthall	51	48
TOTAL	**541**	**276**
PERCENTAGES	66.2%	33.8%

2003 SPECIAL ELECTION HOUSE DISTRICT 56 – OCTOBER 14, 2003

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 56

County	Jep Barbour	Philip Gunn
Hinds	12	420
TOTAL	**12**	**420**
PERCENTAGES	2.8%	97.2%

Note: Results of this special election were added to those from the August 5, 2003 primary. Philip Gunn was declared the winner of this primary race. *See page 604 for results for the August 5, 2003 race.*

2003 GENERAL ELECTION – NOVEMBER 04, 2003

GOVERNOR

County	Haley Barbour (R)	John Thomas Cripps (C)	Sherman Lee Dillon (G)	Ronnie Musgrove (D)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)
Adams	5,123	24	37	7,464	29
Alcorn	5,613	227	45	4,401	53
Amite	2,974	56	32	2,811	34
Attala	3,636	50	20	3,109	26
Benton	1,091	23	19	1,902	20
Bolivar	3,995	157	36	7,176	23
Calhoun	3,303	47	29	2,440	48
Carroll	2,919	29	15	1,712	9
Chickasaw	2,873	46	31	3,850	29
Choctaw	2,117	21	7	1,290	6
Claiborne	804	18	18	3,683	15
Clarke	4,142	63	28	2,938	45
Clay	3,375	37	51	4,827	26
Coahoma	2,414	76	20	4,090	8
Copiah	4,951	58	40	5,357	30
Covington	3,931	141	19	3,164	33
DeSoto	18,689	202	46	8,876	122
Forrest	11,134	110	76	7,562	88
Franklin	2,024	13	82	1,537	8
George	3,485	49	24	2,492	51
Greene	2,176	26	17	1,815	19
Grenada	3,979	20	14	3,215	18
Hancock	7,085	91	75	5,328	158
Harrison	23,641	283	177	19,310	348
Hinds	29,057	226	426	42,700	106
Holmes	1,663	47	14	5,052	11
Humphreys	1,701	47	17	2,901	15
Issaquena	330	6	6	603	7

GOVERNOR (Cont.)

County	Haley Barbour (R)	John Thomas Cripps (C)	Sherman Lee Dillon (G)	Ronnie Musgrove (D)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)
Itawamba	4,047	111	34	3,301	41
Jackson	21,818	185	179	13,908	300
Jasper	2,770	24	14	3,697	29
Jefferson	503	14	12	2,914	10
Jefferson Davis	2,226	34	8	3,378	20
Jones	13,341	240	57	8,298	107
Kemper	1,872	26	13	2,759	15
Lafayette	6,172	40	70	4,716	39
Lamar	10,838	220	61	3,640	116
Lauderdale	14,786	97	68	7,707	87
Lawrence	2,726	47	24	2,644	23
Leake	3,500	37	20	3,061	16
Lee	13,249	169	108	9,690	130
Leflore	3,808	130	33	5,468	46
Lincoln	7,274	108	59	5,175	53
Lowndes	9,938	51	68	8,732	48
Madison	18,020	81	172	11,713	51
Marion	6,066	48	27	3,804	55
Marshall	3,094	49	11	5,043	46
Monroe	6,181	111	41	6,680	50
Montgomery	2,430	21	11	2,242	18
Neshoba	5,559	50	30	3,276	42
Newton	4,819	28	26	2,687	42
Noxubee	1,368	24	20	3,819	5
Oktibbeha	6,828	39	92	6,107	50
Panola	4,140	44	15	6,624	22
Pearl River	8,782	161	68	5,138	132
Perry	2,503	26	13	1,485	13
Pike	6,048	68	79	7,452	53
Pontotoc	5,533	94	52	3,217	72
Prentiss	4,226	93	40	4,347	34
Quitman	1,175	28	15	2,475	19
Rankin	28,633	321	337	9,151	168
Scott	4,582	31	17	3,612	11
Sharkey	1,011	20	10	1,561	9
Simpson	5,655	135	57	4,240	58
Smith	4,499	78	26	2,482	41
Stone	3,056	180	29	2,124	44
Sunflower	2,772	24	31	4,307	20
Tallahatchie	2,150	32	17	2,928	26
Tate	3,898	44	15	3,247	28
Tippah	3,891	69	26	3,271	53
Tishomingo	3,777	99	56	2,948	91
Tunica	823	41	18	1,882	9
Union	4,906	121	32	3,599	46
Walthall	2,552	19	20	2,478	19
Warren	8,525	65	73	7,171	72
Washington	5,383	37	42	8,720	33
Wayne	3,867	49	19	3,646	40
Webster	3,136	23	25	1,558	31
Wilkinson	1,321	75	33	2,775	22
Winston	4,437	45	24	4,325	35
Yalobusha	2,154	32	4	2,406	16
Yazoo	5,511	86	37	4,554	29
TOTAL	**470,404**	**6,317**	**3,909**	**409,787**	**4,070**
PERCENTAGES	52.6%	0.7%	0.4%	45.8%	0.5%

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

County	Barbara Blackmon (D)	Anna J. Reives (RP)	Amy Tuck (R)
Adams	6,579	122	5,888
Alcorn	2,938	148	6,855
Amite	2,421	142	3,287
Attala	2,494	104	4,294
Benton	1,224	69	1,705
Bolivar	6,223	26	4,891
Calhoun	1,702	187	3,958
Carroll	1,563	54	3,069
Chickasaw	3,062	139	3,592
Choctaw	1,001	65	2,372
Claiborne	3,610	43	886
Clarke	2,397	156	4,664
Clay	4,348	113	3,858
Coahoma	3,368	26	2,988
Copiah	4,712	135	5,609
Covington	2,639	156	4,466
DeSoto	5,198	504	22,098
Forrest	6,266	417	12,249
Franklin	1,218	68	2,382
George	1,363	194	4,525
Greene	1,190	103	2,733
Grenada	2,713	66	4,470
Hancock	3,323	497	8,811
Harrison	15,074	1,527	26,981
Hinds	40,071	717	31,358
Holmes	4,832	60	1,900
Humphreys	2,877	47	1,771
Issaquena	558	9	381
Itawamba	1,932	341	5,209
Jackson	10,394	1,211	24,608
Jasper	3,261	75	3,187
Jefferson	2,862	30	565
Jefferson Davis	2,990	67	2,518
Jones	6,180	565	15,315
Kemper	2,553	53	2,084
Lafayette	3,531	225	7,225
Lamar	2,456	510	11,817
Lauderdale	6,734	369	15,681
Lawrence	2,004	78	3,391
Leake	2,514	95	4,043
Lee	6,423	712	16,007
Leflore	4,871	57	3,920
Lincoln	3,697	194	8,788
Lowndes	7,455	264	11,094
Madison	10,113	334	19,558
Marion	3,129	198	6,639
Marshall	4,038	119	4,009
Monroe	4,776	298	7,946
Montgomery	1,909	52	2,766
Neshoba	2,254	165	6,531
Newton	2,197	147	5,257
Noxubee	3,657	29	1,542
Oktibbeha	5,451	200	7,438
Panola	4,584	140	6,053
Pearl River	3,420	442	10,355
Perry	1,097	96	2,843
Pike	6,360	225	7,065
Pontotoc	1,921	315	6,745

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Cont.)

County	Barbara Blackmon (D)	Anna J. Reives (RP)	Amy Tuck (R)
Prentiss	2,440	356	5,796
Quitman	1,979	64	1,655
Rankin	6,431	508	31,459
Scott	3,008	77	5,447
Sharkey	1,501	21	1,066
Simpson	3,246	191	6,637
Smith	1,645	162	5,286
Stone	1,465	276	3,580
Sunflower	4,003	70	3,120
Tallahatchie	2,527	87	2,558
Tate	2,241	90	4,860
Tippah	1,775	212	5,230
Tishomingo	1,783	457	4,570
Tunica	1,567	45	1,069
Union	1,860	308	6,315
Walthall	1,973	86	3,017
Warren	6,112	289	9,333
Washington	7,922	130	5,856
Wayne	2,870	116	4,628
Webster	1,026	99	3,643
Wilkinson	2,643	84	1,457
Winston	3,603	97	5,081
Yalobusha	1,785	86	2,735
Yazoo	4,322	70	5,491
TOTAL	**329,454**	**17,481**	**542,129**
PERCENTAGES	37.1%	2.0%	61.0%

SECRETARY OF STATE

County	Brenda Blackburn (RP)	Eric Clark (D)	Julio Del Castillo (R)
Adams	909	8,380	2,567
Alcorn	177	6,470	2,101
Amite	323	4,042	1,297
Attala	249	5,132	1,309
Benton	368	1,908	508
Bolivar	125	7,704	1,469
Calhoun	443	4,404	837
Carroll	226	3,068	1,235
Chickasaw	466	5,035	792
Choctaw	220	2,301	774
Claiborne	425	3,687	271
Clarke	576	5,196	1,282
Clay	699	6,137	1,246
Coahoma	231	4,119	812
Copiah	507	8,139	1,582
Covington	264	5,716	1,183
DeSoto	3,098	9,060	14,223
Forrest	718	12,901	5,019
Franklin	153	2,645	744
George	452	4,164	1,314
Greene	231	2,878	822
Grenada	355	4,978	1,520
Hancock	950	7,103	4,394
Harrison	2,228	26,412	14,062
Hinds	1,584	59,334	9,737
Holmes	302	5,687	607
Humphreys	375	3,569	545

SECRETARY OF STATE (Cont.)

County	Brenda Blackburn (RP)	Eric Clark (D)	Julio Del Castillo (R)
Issaquena	67	665	107
Itawamba	332	5,537	1,544
Jackson	2,170	19,767	13,484
Jasper	314	5,413	714
Jefferson	206	2,968	156
Jefferson Davis	403	4,267	703
Jones	837	17,092	3,898
Kemper	317	3,528	669
Lafayette	437	7,043	3,149
Lamar	1,075	8,032	5,398
Lauderdale	1,901	13,829	6,060
Lawrence	204	4,158	961
Leake	264	5,312	982
Lee	767	16,150	5,295
Leflore	308	6,464	1,559
Lincoln	415	9,827	2,204
Lowndes	1,272	11,333	5,539
Madison	633	21,256	7,425
Marion	433	7,398	2,011
Marshall	909	4,931	1,719
Monroe	612	9,555	2,515
Montgomery	220	3,401	939
Neshoba	372	7,185	1,310
Newton	717	5,342	1,322
Noxubee	345	3,966	642
Oktibbeha	846	8,953	2,871
Panola	851	7,512	1,984
Pearl River	958	7,161	5,661
Perry	213	2,859	873
Pike	1,123	9,852	2,414
Pontotoc	372	6,456	1,871
Prentiss	430	6,597	1,391
Quitman	459	2,656	420
Rankin	738	23,577	13,652
Scott	205	7,222	1,008
Sharkey	212	1,924	240
Simpson	413	7,654	1,794
Smith	161	5,951	857
Stone	526	3,437	1,152
Sunflower	579	5,506	887
Tallahatchie	478	3,796	647
Tate	496	4,011	2,376
Tippah	444	4,904	1,556
Tishomingo	843	4,609	1,152
Tunica	238	1,910	429
Union	573	6,378	1,407
Walthall	276	3,773	854
Warren	887	10,056	4,085
Washington	682	10,127	2,594
Wayne	370	5,956	1,195
Webster	239	3,359	1,008
Wilkinson	267	3,122	663
Winston	514	6,610	1,572
Yalobusha	365	3,234	866
Yazoo	354	6,711	1,729
TOTAL	**47,296**	**610,461**	**201,765**
PERCENTAGES	5.5%	71.0%	23.5%

ATTORNEY GENERAL

County	Jim Hood (D)	Scott Newton (R)
Adams	8,568	3,602
Alcorn	5,621	3,618
Amite	3,403	2,238
Attala	4,398	2,389
Benton	2,014	913
Bolivar	7,453	2,117
Calhoun	4,353	1,478
Carroll	2,720	1,879
Chickasaw	5,723	1,034
Choctaw	1,917	1,436
Claiborne	3,853	594
Clarke	4,218	2,926
Clay	6,221	1,980
Coahoma	3,521	1,764
Copiah	7,183	3,190
Covington	4,377	2,807
DeSoto	9,021	18,229
Forrest	11,127	7,694
Franklin	2,231	1,374
George	3,493	2,515
Greene	2,453	1,515
Grenada	4,698	2,358
Hancock	6,660	5,929
Harrison	24,644	18,449
Hinds	52,116	19,371
Holmes	5,447	1,168
Humphreys	3,336	1,182
Issaquena	675	187
Itawamba	5,175	2,368
Jackson	17,739	18,221
Jasper	4,487	1,988
Jefferson	2,972	380
Jefferson Davis	3,931	1,548
Jones	12,376	9,463
Kemper	3,071	1,481
Lafayette	6,815	4,066
Lamar	6,649	8,082
Lauderdale	11,924	10,508
Lawrence	3,638	1,762
Leake	4,421	2,196
Lee	16,056	6,893
Leflore	6,283	2,492
Lincoln	8,111	4,441
Lowndes	11,646	6,851
Madison	17,349	12,255
Marion	5,909	3,962
Marshall	5,262	2,495
Monroe	9,152	3,757
Montgomery	3,111	1,513
Neshoba	5,242	3,675
Newton	4,029	3,431
Noxubee	3,837	1,148
Oktibbeha	8,386	4,443
Panola	7,024	3,540
Pearl River	6,545	7,393
Perry	2,362	1,629
Pike	9,127	4,354
Pontotoc	6,419	2,565

ATTORNEY GENERAL (Cont.)

County	Jim Hood (D)	Scott Newton (R)
Prentiss	5,979	2,644
Quitman	2,594	980
Rankin	19,268	19,357
Scott	5,484	2,998
Sharkey	1,897	513
Simpson	6,285	3,696
Smith	4,179	2,895
Stone	3,229	2,019
Sunflower	5,383	1,658
Tallahatchie	3,726	1,274
Tate	3,671	3,370
Tippah	4,579	2,545
Tishomingo	4,406	2,348
Tunica	1,838	786
Union	6,213	2,347
Walthall	3,008	1,776
Warren	10,135	5,479
Washington	9,976	3,544
Wayne	4,793	2,769
Webster	2,983	1,756
Wilkinson	3,006	1,017
Winston	5,836	2,934
Yalobusha	3,155	1,374
Yazoo	5,931	3,127
TOTAL	**548,046**	**326,042**
PERCENTAGES	62.7%	37.3%

STATE TREASURER

County	Gary Anderson (D)	Lee Dilworth (RP)	Tate Reeves (R)
Adams	7,094	230	4,538
Alcorn	4,415	126	4,197
Amite	2,982	89	2,526
Attala	3,207	60	3,434
Benton	1,889	76	826
Bolivar	6,020	157	3,589
Calhoun	2,687	134	2,921
Carroll	1,951	62	2,516
Chickasaw	3,910	143	2,627
Choctaw	1,432	53	1,847
Claiborne	3,544	42	791
Clarke	2,948	147	3,982
Clay	4,859	166	3,095
Coahoma	3,708	93	1,641
Copiah	5,326	131	4,814
Covington	3,260	96	3,818
DeSoto	7,423	673	18,418
Forrest	7,208	205	11,309
Franklin	1,493	32	2,036
George	2,831	97	3,074
Greene	1,942	52	1,921
Grenada	3,209	70	3,522
Hancock	4,944	323	7,158
Harrison	17,005	793	24,858
Hinds	43,141	523	27,650
Holmes	4,854	78	1,668
Humphreys	2,914	67	1,538

***STATE TREASURER** (Cont.)*

County	Gary Anderson (D)	Lee Dilworth (RP)	Tate Reeves (R)
Issaquena	529	9	278
Itawamba	3,465	126	3,826
Jackson	12,058	772	22,793
Jasper	3,746	73	2,609
Jefferson	2,837	42	451
Jefferson Davis	3,399	78	1,932
Jones	8,206	266	13,374
Kemper	2,715	304	1,534
Lafayette	5,477	141	5,013
Lamar	3,352	281	10,989
Lauderdale	7,484	473	14,226
Lawrence	2,637	51	2,641
Leake	3,067	55	3,424
Lee	9,764	365	12,292
Leflore	5,046	117	3,435
Lincoln	4,595	116	7,839
Lowndes	8,419	269	9,653
Madison	11,530	180	17,720
Marion	4,382	114	5,351
Marshall	5,369	158	2,232
Monroe	6,779	211	5,812
Montgomery	2,307	39	2,233
Neshoba	3,627	132	5,077
Newton	2,979	218	4,280
Noxubee	3,578	44	1,334
Oktibbeha	6,368	239	6,167
Panola	6,569	105	3,698
Pearl River	4,750	299	8,703
Perry	1,558	68	2,347
Pike	7,059	242	6,132
Pontotoc	3,770	143	4,865
Prentiss	4,441	180	3,742
Quitman	2,447	68	994
Rankin	8,145	296	29,786
Scott	3,803	64	4,564
Sharkey	1,477	35	863
Simpson	4,010	188	5,806
Smith	2,447	91	4,486
Stone	1,914	182	3,070
Sunflower	4,506	123	2,438
Tallahatchie	3,084	98	1,759
Tate	3,335	116	3,442
Tippah	3,766	146	3,039
Tishomingo	3,307	312	2,974
Tunica	1,786	47	730
Union	3,787	146	4,460
Walthall	2,460	73	2,424
Warren	7,292	184	7,904
Washington	8,157	149	4,732
Wayne	3,876	103	3,526
Webster	1,831	61	2,761
Wilkinson	2,818	78	1,087
Winston	4,538	128	4,043
Yalobusha	2,572	57	1,840
Yazoo	3,891	134	4,816
TOTAL	**403,307**	**13,507**	**447,860**
PERCENTAGES	46.6%	1.6%	51.8%

STATE AUDITOR

County	Billy Blackburn (RP)	Phil Bryant (R)
Adams	3,221	5,844
Alcorn	240	5,251
Amite	1,260	3,717
Attala	1,479	4,745
Benton	919	1,506
Bolivar	105	4,043
Calhoun	1,497	3,861
Carroll	780	3,330
Chickasaw	2,153	3,826
Choctaw	527	2,463
Claiborne	1,782	1,773
Clarke	2,114	4,474
Clay	3,045	4,082
Coahoma	247	2,373
Copiah	2,305	6,703
Covington	1,583	5,096
DeSoto	4,477	20,787
Forrest	3,590	13,697
Franklin	675	2,538
George	1,253	4,434
Greene	929	2,732
Grenada	1,310	4,590
Hancock	3,031	8,723
Harrison	9,387	29,682
Hinds	16,624	45,480
Holmes	2,147	3,196
Humphreys	1,253	2,563
Issaquena	232	447
Itawamba	1,248	5,676
Jackson	7,412	25,993
Jasper	1,813	3,894
Jefferson	1,210	1,399
Jefferson Davis	1,729	3,029
Jones	3,986	16,534
Kemper	1,254	2,623
Lafayette	2,081	7,763
Lamar	2,339	11,732
Lauderdale	4,451	15,435
Lawrence	789	4,256
Leake	1,164	4,556
Lee	2,737	17,438
Leflore	594	4,115
Lincoln	2,298	9,370
Lowndes	4,530	11,629
Madison	4,019	22,189
Marion	1,512	7,450
Marshall	2,000	4,520
Monroe	2,736	8,704
Montgomery	1,069	3,063
Neshoba	1,316	7,144
Newton	2,156	4,648
Noxubee	1,503	2,093
Oktibbeha	3,524	7,686
Panola	2,646	6,633
Pearl River	2,377	10,443
Perry	813	2,952
Pike	4,507	7,615
Pontotoc	1,088	6,937

STATE AUDITOR (Cont.)

County	Billy Blackburn (RP)	Phil Bryant (R)
Prentiss	1,623	6,049
Quitman	1,000	2,024
Rankin	3,124	33,192
Scott	1,540	5,791
Sharkey	700	1,330
Simpson	2,594	6,816
Smith	1,178	5,641
Stone	1,505	3,382
Sunflower	2,518	3,592
Tallahatchie	1,406	2,969
Tate	1,391	4,889
Tippah	1,231	5,194
Tishomingo	2,018	4,038
Tunica	925	1,287
Union	1,263	6,643
Walthall	1,191	3,248
Warren	4,325	9,627
Washington	4,312	6,608
Wayne	2,097	4,960
Webster	832	3,625
Wilkinson	1,240	2,124
Winston	2,151	5,805
Yalobusha	1,219	2,855
Yazoo	1,843	6,048
TOTAL	**182,292**	**587,212**
PERCENTAGES	23.7%	76.3%

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

County	George Dale (D)	Aaron DuPuy III (R)	Barbara Dale Washer (RP)
Adams	9,046	2,411	324
Alcorn	6,301	2,427	104
Amite	4,163	1,235	241
Attala	5,254	1,266	171
Benton	2,027	563	186
Bolivar	7,320	1,438	42
Calhoun	4,398	1,045	262
Carroll	3,226	1,168	131
Chickasaw	5,451	864	260
Choctaw	2,339	815	123
Claiborne	3,819	308	184
Clarke	5,186	1,523	317
Clay	6,489	1,267	256
Coahoma	4,143	755	87
Copiah	8,411	1,542	261
Covington	5,420	1,444	280
DeSoto	9,221	14,813	1,773
Forrest	12,867	5,109	595
Franklin	2,666	783	116
George	4,164	1,444	374
Greene	2,812	965	148
Grenada	5,092	1,512	175
Hancock	6,380	4,959	1,074
Harrison	23,078	16,000	3,136
Hinds	60,211	8,717	1,399
Holmes	5,740	550	194
Humphreys	3,608	550	224

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE (Cont.)

County	George Dale (D)	Aaron DuPuy III (R)	Barbara Dale Washer (RP)
Issaquena	668	103	40
Itawamba	5,267	1,815	317
Jackson	18,438	14,480	2,506
Jasper	5,261	919	215
Jefferson	2,955	154	143
Jefferson Davis	4,747	494	163
Jones	15,652	5,367	752
Kemper	3,611	700	170
Lafayette	7,127	3,026	332
Lamar	8,264	5,569	701
Lauderdale	14,800	6,108	932
Lawrence	4,434	811	129
Leake	5,317	1,088	140
Lee	16,060	5,539	625
Leflore	6,729	1,290	167
Lincoln	9,767	2,376	292
Lowndes	12,657	4,785	623
Madison	21,296	7,066	577
Marion	7,595	1,982	299
Marshall	5,239	1,712	447
Monroe	9,697	2,543	468
Montgomery	3,519	926	130
Neshoba	6,803	1,713	308
Newton	5,757	1,442	241
Noxubee	4,052	588	152
Oktibbeha	9,066	3,048	377
Panola	7,695	2,215	442
Pearl River	7,101	5,832	782
Perry	2,659	1,101	170
Pike	10,225	2,602	492
Pontotoc	6,281	2,167	306
Prentiss	6,402	1,692	338
Quitman	2,855	478	180
Rankin	23,256	13,926	725
Scott	6,774	1,390	178
Sharkey	1,915	281	107
Simpson	7,315	2,247	296
Smith	4,861	1,954	229
Stone	3,290	1,417	427
Sunflower	5,730	999	249
Tallahatchie	3,939	693	257
Tate	4,230	2,281	316
Tippah	4,880	1,694	346
Tishomingo	4,618	1,482	514
Tunica	1,985	270	278
Union	6,320	1,679	346
Walthall	3,916	828	177
Warren	11,145	3,658	443
Washington	10,290	2,489	367
Wayne	5,555	1,640	303
Webster	3,344	1,107	199
Wilkinson	3,080	608	184
Winston	6,921	1,455	284
Yalobusha	3,396	886	169
Yazoo	6,753	1,671	182
TOTAL	**610,341**	**211,859**	**32,969**
PERCENTAGES	71.4%	24.8%	3.9%

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE

County	Bob Claunch (RP)	Max Phillips (R)	Lester Spell (D)
Adams	220	2,893	8,659
Alcorn	73	3,101	5,680
Amite	97	1,610	3,934
Attala	85	1,605	5,157
Benton	128	745	1,917
Bolivar	94	1,857	6,946
Calhoun	175	1,223	4,336
Carroll	68	1,402	3,070
Chickasaw	162	1,201	5,952
Choctaw	55	962	2,301
Claiborne	98	395	3,822
Clarke	171	1,999	4,878
Clay	214	1,548	6,272
Coahoma	38	976	3,955
Copiah	144	2,092	7,998
Covington	81	2,128	4,987
DeSoto	887	17,705	7,464
Forrest	255	7,253	11,095
Franklin	39	996	2,511
George	121	2,185	3,691
Greene	49	1,577	2,339
Grenada	73	2,004	4,694
Hancock	471	5,275	6,668
Harrison	1,065	17,038	23,940
Hinds	569	13,116	56,870
Holmes	117	727	5,632
Humphreys	130	603	3,693
Issaquena	18	126	672
Itawamba	120	2,079	5,258
Jackson	866	16,795	17,588
Jasper	87	1,838	4,518
Jefferson	56	273	2,959
Jefferson Davis	64	1,118	4,256
Jones	222	10,838	10,851
Kemper	106	889	1,215
Lafayette	208	3,828	6,471
Lamar	273	7,796	6,497
Lauderdale	400	7,670	13,961
Lawrence	45	1,484	3,813
Leake	56	1,447	5,059
Lee	284	7,119	14,827
Leflore	78	1,906	5,772
Lincoln	185	3,160	9,143
Lowndes	342	7,765	9,901
Madison	264	8,403	20,471
Marion	124	2,889	6,889
Marshall	246	2,199	4,889
Monroe	220	3,422	9,117
Montgomery	48	1,038	3,499
Neshoba	86	2,669	6,121
Newton	130	2,119	5,260
Noxubee	98	727	3,964
Oktibbeha	279	3,608	8,722
Panola	197	3,091	7,080
Pearl River	331	6,634	6,758
Perry	70	1,639	2,279
Pike	341	3,609	9,360
Pontotoc	131	2,792	5,892

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE/COMMERCE (Cont.)

County	Bob Claunch (RP)	Max Phillips (R)	Lester Spell (D)
Prentiss	150	2,631	5,671
Quitman	105	762	2,634
Rankin	346	14,934	22,887
Scott	67	1,856	6,553
Sharkey	50	344	1,955
Simpson	180	2,870	7,071
Smith	89	3,761	3,254
Stone	176	1,699	3,260
Sunflower	157	1,317	5,510
Tallahatchie	144	953	3,833
Tate	141	2,908	3,793
Tippah	193	2,185	4,594
Tishomingo	346	1,974	4,294
Tunica	82	556	1,870
Union	171	2,212	3,670
Walthall	85	1,166	3,685
Warren	309	4,523	10,261
Washington	161	3,330	9,542
Wayne	151	2,316	5,096
Webster	61	1,281	3,353
Wilkinson	82	640	3,183
Winston	160	1,847	6,705
Yalobusha	87	963	3,435
Yazoo	82	1,883	6,651
TOTAL	**15,229**	**274,097**	**564,283**
PERCENTAGES	1.8%	32.1%	66.1%

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT ONE, CENTRAL

County	Nielsen Cochran (R)	L.D. Horne, Sr. (D)	Mike R. Ivey (RP)
Bolivar	4,090	4,157	47
Claiborne	1,085	3,008	192
Copiah	5,551	4,364	237
Hinds	34,981	34,337	955
Holmes	2,064	4,203	158
Humphreys	1,841	2,307	192
Issaquena	353	404	29
Jefferson	645	2,438	132
Kemper	1,972	2,276	168
Lauderdale	14,566	6,398	611
Leake	3,897	2,462	134
Madison	19,566	8,543	549
Neshoba	6,193	2,331	260
Newton	5,107	2,130	186
Noxubee	1,385	3,208	151
Rankin	31,251	5,950	688
Scott	5,121	3,043	163
Sharkey	1,018	1,157	110
Sunflower	3,204	3,394	247
Warren	9,434	5,347	416
Washington	5,895	6,482	260
Yazoo	5,175	2,840	187
TOTAL	**164,394**	**110,779**	**6,072**
PERCENTAGES	58.5%	39.4%	2.2%

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT TWO, SOUTHERN

County	Larry Albritton (R)	Michael Callahan (D)	Anthony Sahuque (RP)
Adams	4,190	6,983	93
Amite	2,109	3,336	79
Clarke	3,587	3,072	141
Covington	2,621	3,894	98
Forrest	7,894	10,270	210
Franklin	1,446	1,933	54
George	2,402	3,435	87
Greene	1,514	2,297	52
Hancock	6,133	5,485	590
Harrison	21,137	19,569	929
Jackson	20,112	14,077	596
Jasper	1,798	4,370	86
Jefferson Davis	1,630	3,620	58
Jones	9,052	12,292	242
Lamar	8,383	5,752	258
Lawrence	1,986	3,224	36
Lincoln	5,234	6,914	121
Marion	4,604	4,996	135
Pearl River	8,642	4,877	229
Perry	1,686	2,164	58
Pike	5,152	7,827	209
Simpson	5,093	4,459	143
Smith	3,418	3,399	95
Stone	2,590	2,308	130
Walthall	1,989	2,709	75
Wayne	2,709	4,650	91
Wilkinson	1,036	2,687	67
TOTAL	**138,147**	**150,599**	**4,962**
PERCENTAGES	47.0%	51.3%	1.7%

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN

County	Kerry Hunt (RP)	Bo Robinson (D)
Alcorn	235	6,565
Attala	882	5,577
Benton	418	2,306
Calhoun	753	4,803
Carroll	755	3,593
Chickasaw	526	5,972
Choctaw	604	2,580
Clay	706	7,254
Coahoma	142	3,875
DeSoto	10,569	12,109
Grenada	839	5,607
Itawamba	803	6,450
Lafayette	1,594	8,243
Lee	2,491	18,376
Leflore	662	6,434
Lowndes	2,563	14,756
Marshall	1,178	5,857
Monroe	977	11,809
Montgomery	518	3,901
Oktibbeha	1,905	10,119
Panola	1,426	8,515
Pontotoc	979	7,500
Prentiss	1,995	6,391
Quitman	360	3,037
Tallahatchie	587	4,185

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN (Cont.)

County	Kerry Hunt (RP)	Bo Robinson (D)
Tate	1,223	5,105
Tippah	935	5,901
Tishomingo	1,283	5,104
Tunica	609	1,912
Union	921	7,282
Webster	737	3,880
Winston	908	7,524
Yalobusha	527	3,809
TOTAL	**41,610**	**216,331**
PERCENTAGES	16.1%	83.9%

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT ONE, CENTRAL

County	W.C. Alderman (D)	Dick Hall (R)	Jimmy Loper (RP)
Bolivar	4,349	4,010	58
Claiborne	3,084	1,094	112
Copiah	4,839	5,021	220
Hinds	39,370	29,527	849
Holmes	4,477	1,793	143
Humphreys	2,469	1,708	160
Issaquena	491	275	20
Jefferson	2,553	578	86
Kemper	2,336	1,902	101
Lauderdale	6,712	14,228	615
Leake	2,697	3,667	111
Madison	9,331	19,066	403
Neshoba	2,489	6,042	256
Newton	2,336	4,568	236
Noxubee	3,242	1,370	110
Rankin	6,809	30,428	610
Scott	3,261	4,736	133
Sharkey	1,312	920	58
Sunflower	3,738	2,931	113
Warren	6,454	8,342	264
Washington	7,313	5,358	215
Yazoo	3,351	4,756	113
TOTAL	**123,013**	**152,320**	**4,986**
PERCENTAGES	43.9%	54.3%	1.8%

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT TWO, SOUTHERN

County	Wayne H. Brown (D)	Arlin Regan (R)	Virgil C. Smith (RP)
Adams	7,570	3,340	299
Amite	3,447	1,920	153
Clarke	3,862	2,605	363
Covington	4,244	2,488	309
Forrest	10,181	7,692	426
Franklin	2,170	1,174	90
George	4,566	1,293	212
Greene	2,608	1,164	126
Hancock	5,805	5,737	672
Harrison	20,147	19,623	2,128
Jackson	18,408	15,269	1,318
Jasper	4,592	1,524	156
Jefferson Davis	3,519	1,321	124
Jones	12,720	8,205	597
Lamar	5,388	8,260	675
Lawrence	3,364	1,754	123

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT TWO, SOUTHERN (Cont.)

County	Wayne H. Brown (D)	Arlin Regan (R)	Virgil C. Smith (RP)
Lincoln	7,553	4,183	480
Marion	4,615	4,921	264
Pearl River	5,740	7,249	734
Perry	2,255	1,484	142
Pike	9,074	3,705	404
Simpson	5,456	3,965	278
Smith	3,508	3,141	225
Stone	3,232	1,522	408
Walthall	3,009	1,569	161
Wayne	5,271	1,973	236
Wilkinson	2,805	860	144
TOTAL	**165,109**	**117,941**	**11,247**
PERCENTAGES	56.1%	40.1%	3.8%

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT THREE, NORTHERN

County	John M. Caldwell, Sr. (R)	William R. (Bill) Minor (D)
Alcorn	3,882	4,757
Attala	2,597	3,991
Benton	549	2,361
Calhoun	2,545	3,124
Carroll	1,972	2,456
Chickasaw	2,020	4,478
Choctaw	1,448	1,767
Clay	2,497	5,450
Coahoma	1,076	3,830
DeSoto	19,346	7,482
Grenada	3,351	3,367
Itawamba	2,824	4,551
Lafayette	4,453	5,951
Lee	10,624	11,338
Leflore	2,570	5,336
Lowndes	8,790	9,244
Marshall	1,557	6,039
Monroe	4,122	8,543
Montgomery	1,799	2,703
Oktibbeha	5,548	6,879
Panola	3,368	6,933
Pontotoc	3,793	4,922
Prentiss	2,997	5,377
Quitman	916	2,551
Tallahatchie	1,477	3,374
Tate	3,368	3,570
Tippah	2,264	4,722
Tishomingo	2,687	3,740
Tunica	748	1,791
Union	3,123	5,262
Webster	2,279	2,364
Winston	3,059	5,513
Yalobusha	1,533	2,901
TOTAL	**115,182**	**156,667**
PERCENTAGES	42.4%	57.6%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 1

County	John R. Young (D)
Alcorn	6,947
Itawamba	6,545
Lee	18,505
Monroe	11,542
Pontotoc	7,299
Prentiss	7,262
Tishomingo	5,716
TOTAL	**63,816**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 2

County	Cono Caranna (D)
Hancock	10,326
Harrison	36,441
Stone	4,629
TOTAL	**51,396**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 3

County	Benjamin F. Creekmore (D)	A. Bruce Rich (I)
Benton	2,325	419
Calhoun	4,631	777
Chickasaw	5,524	777
Lafayette	8,219	1,582
Marshall	5,646	1,279
Tippah	4,508	2,279
Union	7,788	707
TOTAL	**38,641**	**7,820**
PERCENTAGES	83.2%	16.8%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 4

County	Joyce I. Chiles (D)	Tucker Gore (I)
Leflore	6,991	1,626
Sunflower	4,645	2,306
Washington	8,528	4,920
TOTAL	**20,164**	**8,852**
PERCENTAGES	69.5%	30.5%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 5

County	Doug Evans (D)	Taylor Tucker (R)
Attala	4,536	2,015
Carroll	2,992	1,490
Choctaw	2,050	1,202
Grenada	5,737	1,092
Montgomery	3,690	893
Webster	2,827	1,807
Winston	4,806	3,948
TOTAL	**26,638**	**12,447**
PERCENTAGES	68.2%	31.8%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 6

County	Ronnie L. Harper (D)
Adams	10,403
Amite	4,864
Franklin	3,052
Wilkinson	3,160
TOTAL	**21,479**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 7

County	Wilson Carroll (R)	Faye Peterson (D)
Hinds	30,218	40,002
TOTAL	**30,218**	**40,002**
PERCENTAGES	43.0%	57.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 8

County	Mark Duncan (D)
Leake	5,657
Neshoba	8,180
Newton	6,379
Scott	7,025
TOTAL	**27,241**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 9

County	Gil Martin (I)	Richard (Ricky) Smith, Jr. (I)
Issaquena	418	322
Sharkey	1,248	880
Warren	8,701	6,206
TOTAL	**10,367**	**7,408**
PERCENTAGES	58.3%	41.7%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 10

County	E.J. (Bilbo) Mitchell (D)
Clarke	6,538
Kemper	3,867
Lauderdale	19,521
Wayne	6,801
TOTAL	**36,727**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 11

County	Laurence W. Mellen (D)
Bolivar	6,836
Coahoma	3,829
Quitman	2,700
Tunica	1,962
TOTAL	**15,327**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 12

County	Jon Mark Weathers (R)
Forrest	15,901
Perry	3,367
TOTAL	**19,268**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 13

County	Eddie H. Bowen (D)
Covington	5,729
Jasper	5,910
Simpson	8,025
Smith	6,117
TOTAL	**25,781**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 14

County	Dewitt (Dee) T. Bates, Jr. (D)
Lincoln	11,217
Pike	11,852
Walthall	4,129
TOTAL	**27,198**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 15

County	Claiborne (Buddy) McDonald
Jefferson Davis	3,324
Lamar	12,847
Lawrence	3,460
Marion	8,073
Pearl River	10,777
TOTAL	**38,481**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 16

County	Forrest Allgood (D)	William (Bill) Bambach (R)
Clay	6,701	1,356
Lowndes	14,922	3,502
Noxubee	4,052	774
Oktibbeha	8,938	3,567
TOTAL	**34,613**	**9,199**
PERCENTAGES	79.0%	21.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 17

County	John W. Champion (D)
DeSoto	20,567
Panola	8,694
Tallahatchie	4,122
Tate	5,785
Yalobusha	3,857
TOTAL	**43,025**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 18

County	Anthony J. Buckley (D)
Jones	20,031
TOTAL	**20,031**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 19

County	Anthony (Tony) Lawrence III	Wendy Walker Martin (R)
George	3,373	2,636
Greene	2,211	1,654
Jackson	17,960	17,580
TOTAL	**23,544**	**21,870**
PERCENTAGES	51.8%	48.2%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 20

County	David Clark (R)
Madison	22,635
Rankin	32,852
TOTAL	**55,487**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 21

County	James H. Powell III (D)
Holmes	5,800
Humphreys	3,707
Yazoo	6,312
TOTAL	**15,819**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, DISTRICT 22

County	Alexander C. Martin (D)
Claiborne	3,963
Copiah	8,925
Jefferson	2,852
TOTAL	**15,740**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 1

County	Bobby Chamberlin (R)	Josephina Zorzoli (D)
DeSoto	16,493	3,388
TOTAL	**16,493**	**3,388**
PERCENTAGES	83.0%	17.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 2

County	Margaret Delashmit (R)	Ralph H. Doxey (D)
Benton	619	2,170
Marshall	2,002	5,570
Tippah	917	2,678
TOTAL	**3,538**	**10,418**
PERCENTAGES	25.4%	74.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 3

County	Nickey Browning (D)	Bruce McCoy (R)
Calhoun	1,264	812
Pontotoc	4,354	3,684
Union	5,772	2,775
TOTAL	**11,390**	**7,271**
PERCENTAGES	61.0%	39.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 4

County	Travis L. Little (R)	Eric Powell (D)
Alcorn	5,464	4,573
Tippah	1,714	1,582
Tishomingo	1,271	1,664
TOTAL	**8,449**	**7,819**
PERCENTAGES	51.9%	48.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 5

County	Charles Walden (R)	J.P. Wilemon, Jr. (D)
Itawamba	2,014	4,197
Prentiss	5,315	3,389
Tishomingo	853	3,048
TOTAL	**8,182**	**10,634**
PERCENTAGES	43.5%	56.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 6

County	Alan Nunnelee (R)	Sherry M. Pittman (D)
Lee	10,970	4,754
Pontotoc	512	289
TOTAL	**11,482**	**5,043**
PERCENTAGES	69.5%	30.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 7

County	Chris Brown (R)	Hob Bryan (D)
Itawamba	443	793
Lee	784	1,996
Monroe	5,822	7,078
TOTAL	**7,049**	**9,867**
PERCENTAGES	41.7%	58.3%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 8

County	Jack Gordon (D)
Calhoun	2,871
Chickasaw	5,702
Grenada	3,230
Lee	3,071
TOTAL	**14,874**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 9

County	Patricia Chadwick Lamar (R)	Gray Tollison (D)
Lafayette	4,768	6,145
Tallahatchie	665	1,324
Yalobusha	1,485	3,043
TOTAL	**6,918**	**10,512**
PERCENTAGES	39.7%	60.3%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 10

County	Nolan Mettetal (D)
Panola	9,030
Tate	5,179
TOTAL	**14,209**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 11

County	Columbus Dunn, Jr. (R)	Robert (Bobby) Jackson (D)
Coahoma	1,511	4,055
Quitman	959	2,600
Tate	319	433
Tunica	742	1,756
TOTAL	**3,531**	**8,844**
PERCENTAGES	28.5%	71.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 12

County	Johnnie E. Walls, Jr. (D)
Bolivar	3,079
Washington	5,281
TOTAL	**8,360**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 13

County	Jethro Henderson (R)	Willie Simmons (D)
Bolivar	804	2,556
Humphreys	565	1,185
Sunflower	2,331	4,592
TOTAL	**3,700**	**8,333**
PERCENTAGES	30.7%	69.3%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 14

County	Mark Ivey Burton (D)	Robert G. (Bunky) Huggins (R)
Attala	1,934	2,343
Carroll	1,358	3,182
Grenada	1,272	1,703
Leflore	847	3,276
Montgomery	1,306	1,881
Tallahatchie	60	213
TOTAL	**6,777**	**12,598**
PERCENTAGES	35.0%	65.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 15

County	Gary Jackson (R)	Cecil L. Simmons (D)
Attala	581	401
Calhoun	222	205
Choctaw	2,025	1,312
Montgomery	786	584
Oktibbeha	4,318	3,510
Webster	2,459	2,259
Winston	414	238
TOTAL	**10,805**	**8,509**
PERCENTAGES	55.9%	44.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 16

County	Bennie L. Turner (D)
Clay	6,812
Lowndes	2,290
Noxubee	1,306
Oktibbeha	4,273
TOTAL	**14,681**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 17

County	Terry Brown (R)	Greg Mordecai (I)	David Shelton (D)	Joseph Studdard (I)
Lowndes	7,794	253	6,625	1,198
TOTAL	**7,794**	**253**	**6,625**	**1,198**
PERCENTAGES	49.1%	1.6%	41.7%	7.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 18

County	Don L. Fulton (R)	Gloria C. Williamson (D)
Leake	2,823	3,674
Neshoba	4,604	4,328
Winston	1,178	1,910
TOTAL	**8,605**	**9,912**
PERCENTAGES	46.5%	53.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 19

County	Merle Flowers (R)
DeSoto	11,515
TOTAL	**11,515**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 20

County	Charlie Ross (R)
Madison	6,376
Rankin	13,534
TOTAL	**19,910**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 21

County	Leroy Lacy (I)	Joseph C. Thomas (D)
Attala	166	1,119
Holmes	177	643
Madison	3,505	5,241
Yazoo	1,031	4,627
TOTAL	**4,879**	**11,630**
PERCENTAGES	29.6%	70.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 22

County	Mala U. Brooks (D)	Eugene S. (Buck) Clarke (R)	Mark C. Crawford (I)
Bolivar	414	1,584	38
Humphreys	1,411	813	332
Sharkey	836	844	655
Washington	2,244	4,364	793
Yazoo	383	1,399	52
TOTAL	**5,288**	**9,004**	**1,870**
PERCENTAGES	32.7%	55.7%	11.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 23

County	Mike Chaney (R)	Marcie Tanner Southerland (D)
Issaquena	352	451
Warren	8,886	6,772
Yazoo	507	154
TOTAL	**9,745**	**7,377**
PERCENTAGES	56.9%	43.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 24

County	David Jordan (D)
Holmes	5,055
Leflore	3,965
Tallahatchie	2,153
TOTAL	**11,173**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 25

County	Walter Michel (R)
Hinds	9,137
Madison	10,683
TOTAL	**19,820**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 26

County	John Horhn (D)
Hinds	13,449
Madison	545
TOTAL	**13,994**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 27

County	Hillman Terome Frazier (D)
Hinds	11,531
TOTAL	**11,531**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 28

County	Alice Varnado Harden (D)
Hinds	9,375
TOTAL	**9,375**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 29

Senate Special Committee concluded it was impossible to determine the will of the electorate in Senate District 29 in the November 4, 2003, General Election. Senate Special Committee recommended that a Special Election be held Tuesday, February 10, 2004. See the results of the February election on page 659.

[Reference: Senate Resolution No. 2 and No. 3 (2004 Regular Session) and Report of the Special Committee]

County	Dewayne Thomas (D)	Richard G. White (R)
Hinds	8,926	8,791
TOTAL	**8,926**	**8,791**
PERCENTAGES	50.4%	49.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 30

County	Dean Kirby (R)
Rankin	14,848
TOTAL	**14,848**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 31

County	Terry C. Burton (R)	Luke Gibbon (I)	Jason Mangum (D)
Lauderdale	4,825	145	750
Newton	3,804	292	3,209
Scott	2,318	79	2,177
TOTAL	**10,947**	**516**	**6,136**
PERCENTAGES	62.2%	2.9%	34.9%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 32

County	Sampson Jackson II (D)	John (Johnny) White (R)
Kemper	2,772	1,896
Lauderdale	2,844	1,381
Noxubee	2,179	944
Winston	2,553	2,245
TOTAL	**10,348**	**6,466**
PERCENTAGES	61.5%	38.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 33

County	F. Videt Carmichael (R)	Gilford F. Dabbs III (I)
Clarke	2,454	4,530
Lauderdale	8,932	2,707
TOTAL	**11,386**	**7,237**
PERCENTAGES	61.1%	38.9%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 34

County	Billy H. Thames (D)
Jasper	5,881
Jones	3,068
Scott	2,930
Smith	5,798
TOTAL	**17,677**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 35

County	Perry Lee (R)	Daniel D. Ware (D)
Copiah	831	602
Covington	1,186	2,418
Rankin	4,344	1,448
Simpson	3,937	2,900
TOTAL	**10,298**	**7,368**
PERCENTAGES	58.3%	41.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 36

County	Lynn Posey (D)	Charles H. (Charlie) Stogner (R)
Claiborne	3,932	409
Copiah	6,965	1,748
Hinds	1,508	772
Jefferson	3,060	250
TOTAL	**15,465**	**3,179**
PERCENTAGES	82.9%	17.1%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 37

County	Bob M. Dearing (D)
Adams	8,804
Amite	2,535
Franklin	3,013
Pike	3,936
TOTAL	**18,288**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 38

County	Kelvin E. Butler (D)
Adams	1,572
Amite	1,946
Pike	7,459
Walthall	985
Wilkinson	3,082
TOTAL	**15,044**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 39

County	Cindy Hyde-Smith (D)
Lawrence	4,197
Lincoln	11,475
Simpson	2,419
TOTAL	**18,091**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 40

County	Sidney (Sid) Albritton (R)	Ann A. Simmons (D)
Marion	3,775	4,179
Pearl River	5,198	1,685
Walthall	1,693	2,006
TOTAL	**10,666**	**7,870**
PERCENTAGES	57.5%	42.5%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 41

County	Billy V. Harvey (D)	Speedy Smith (R)
Covington	2,458	1,044
Forrest	2,674	486
Jefferson Davis	4,448	1,022
Lamar	2,438	2,160
Marion	1,226	607
TOTAL	**13,244**	**5,319**
PERCENTAGES	71.3%	28.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 42

County	Randy Ellzey (D)	Stacey E. Pickering (R)
Jones	7,669	10,932
TOTAL	**7,669**	**10,932**
PERCENTAGES	41.2%	58.8%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 43

County	Tommy Dickerson (R)	James (Shannon) Walley (D)
George	3,241	2,864
Greene	1,346	2,664
Stone	787	474
Wayne	3,581	4,033
TOTAL	**8,955**	**10,035**
PERCENTAGES	47.2%	52.8%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 44

County	Tom King (R)
Forrest	6,067
Lamar	8,040
Perry	1,455
TOTAL	**15,562**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 45

County	Nathan Jordan (I)	J. Ed Morgan (R)	Ray T. Price (D)
Forrest	321	5,553	2,649
Lamar	24	351	164
Pearl River	129	1,911	1,196
Perry	119	1,132	1,017
Stone	42	406	274
TOTAL	**635**	**9,353**	**5,300**
PERCENTAGES	4.2%	61.2%	34.7%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 46

County	Scottie R. Cuevas (D)	Harry B. Ward (R)
Hancock	6,620	5,954
Harrison	1,769	1,083
TOTAL	**8,389**	**7,037**
PERCENTAGES	54.4%	45.6%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 47

County	Ezell Lee (D)	Joseph M. (Mike) Seymour (R)
Harrison	1,031	1,492
Jackson	4,093	1,566
Pearl River	2,535	1,200
Stone	2,157	1,037
TOTAL	**9,816**	**5,295**
PERCENTAGES	65.0%	35.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 48

County	Robert E. Bass, Jr. (R)	Deborah Dawkins (D)
Harrison	4,624	6,501
TOTAL	**4,624**	**6,501**
PERCENTAGES	41.6%	58.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 49

County	Billy Hewes III (R)
Harrison	10,180
TOTAL	**10,180**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 50

County	Thomas Arlin (Tommy) Gollott
Harrison	7,071
TOTAL	**7,071**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 51

County	Tommy Robertson (R)	Ray Vecchio (I)
Jackson	9,607	5,255
TOTAL	**9,607**	**5,255**
PERCENTAGES	64.6%	35.4%

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 52

County	Robert Hooks (D)	T.O. (Tommy) Moffatt (R)
Jackson	3,980	10,578
TOTAL	**3,980**	**10,578**
PERCENTAGES	27.3%	72.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 1

County	Ricky A. Cummings (D)
Alcorn	1,892
Tishomingo	4,551
TOTAL	**6,443**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 2

County	Max Butler (R)	Harvey Moss (D)
Alcorn	2,134	4,083
TOTAL	**2,134**	**4,083**
PERCENTAGES	34.3%	65.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 3

County	W.J. (Billy) McCoy (D)	George A. Waddell (R)
Alcorn	658	259
Prentiss	4,593	2,561
TOTAL	**5,251**	**2,820**
PERCENTAGES	65.1%	34.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 4

County	Brandon D. Colom (R)	Greg Ward (D)
Benton	16	37
Tippah	1,087	6,009
Union	101	360
TOTAL	**1,204**	**6,406**
PERCENTAGES	15.8%	84.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 5

County	Kelvin Buck (D)
Benton	353
Marshall	3,533
TOTAL	**3,886**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 6

County	Eugene Forest Hamilton (R)	Doris M. Leake (D)
DeSoto	6,676	1,449
TOTAL	**6,676**	**1,449**
PERCENTAGES	82.2%	17.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 7

County	Wanda Jennings (R)	James May (D)
DeSoto	4,575	963
TOTAL	**4,575**	**963**
PERCENTAGES	82.6%	17.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 8

County	Larry J. Baker (R)
DeSoto	1,147
Tate	3,738
TOTAL	**4,885**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 9

Democratic nominee Clayton Henderson died prior to election. The Mississippi Democratic Party nominated Clara Henderson Burnett as the Democratic nominee for State Representative, District 9 (Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-317 (1972). Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-365 (1972) allows for valid write-in candidates.

County	Clara Henderson Burnett (D)	Joseph Delaney (D)	Christopher Thomas
Coahoma	68	0	0
Panola	464	0	0
Quitman	1,571	0	0
Tate	677	0	0
Tunica	1,987	11	30
TOTAL	**4,767**	**11**	**30**
PERCENTAGES	99.1%	0.2%	0.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 10

County	Chris Lawrence (R)	Warner F. McBride (D)
Lafayette	1,009	1,622
Panola	1,099	4,145
Tallahatchie	76	207
TOTAL	**2,184**	**5,974**
PERCENTAGES	26.8%	73.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 11

County	Leonard Morris (D)
Panola	3,901
Tate	1,026
TOTAL	**4,927**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 12

County	Noal Akins (R)	Jay Eads (D)
Lafayette	2,731	2,467
TOTAL	**2,731**	**2,467**
PERCENTAGES	52.5%	47.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 13

County	Jack Gadd (D)
Benton	2,054
Lafayette	1,465
Marshall	1,828
Union	294
TOTAL	**5,641**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 14

County	Margaret Ellis Rogers (D)
Pontotoc	242
Union	6,898
TOTAL	**7,140**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 15

County	Pat Montgomery (D)	Jeffery D. Waldo (R)
Pontotoc	4,321	3,709
TOTAL	**4,321**	**3,709**
PERCENTAGES	53.8%	46.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 16

County	Daniel Stephen Holland (D)
Lee	5,128
TOTAL	**5,128**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 17

County	Brian Aldridge (R)	Kelly L. Mims (D)
Lee	4,176	3,245
TOTAL	**4,176**	**3,245**
PERCENTAGES	56.3%	43.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 18

County	Christi Antillon-Webb (D)	Jerry R. Turner (R)
Lee	2,603	3,412
Prentiss	971	661
TOTAL	**3,574**	**4,073**
PERCENTAGES	46.7%	53.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 19

County	James R. (Jamie) Franks Jr. (D)	Jeremy A. Martin (R)
Itawamba	1,838	1,363
Lee	1,571	1,659
Tishomingo	870	577
TOTAL	**4,279**	**3,599**
PERCENTAGES	54.3%	45.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 20

County	J.B. Markham (D)	James W. Tucker (R)
Lowndes	100	152
Monroe	4,202	3,275
TOTAL	**4,302**	**3,427**
PERCENTAGES	55.7%	44.3%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 21

County	William T. (Bill) Miles (D)
Itawamba	3,907
Monroe	2,941
TOTAL	**6,848**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 22

County	Gary Penick (R)	Preston E. Sullivan (D)
Calhoun	407	371
Chickasaw	1,254	5,343
Pontotoc	167	338
TOTAL	**1,828**	**6,052**
PERCENTAGES	23.2%	76.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 23

County	Charles Jim Beckett (R)	Steve Whitten (D)
Calhoun	3,072	1,727
Clay	178	225
Oktibbeha	926	868
Webster	576	690
TOTAL	**4,752**	**3,510**
PERCENTAGES	57.5%	42.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 24

County	Sidney W. Bondurant (D)
Calhoun	144
Grenada	5,036
Yalobusha	791
TOTAL	**5,971**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 25

County	John Mayo (D)	Ross B. Ose (R)
Coahoma	1,484	768
DeSoto	1,237	1,448
Tunica	301	105
TOTAL	**3,022**	**2,321**
PERCENTAGES	56.6%	43.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 26

County	Chuck Espy (D)
Coahoma	2,108
Quitman	586
TOTAL	**2,694**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 27

County	Ferr Smith (D)
Attala	1,982
Leake	1,631
Madison	1,603
Yazoo	1,093
TOTAL	**6,309**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 28

County	Charles W. Capps, Jr. (D)
Bolivar	2,928
Sunflower	689
Washington	1,474
TOTAL	**5,091**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 29

County	Linda F. Coleman (D)
Bolivar	3,726
TOTAL	**3,726**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 30

County	Robert E. Huddleston (D)
Bolivar	502
Leflore	105
Quitman	281
Sunflower	992
Tallahatchie	1,466
TOTAL	**3,346**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 31

County	Sara Richardson Thomas (D)
Sunflower	4,436
TOTAL	**4,436**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 32

County	Willie J. Perkins, Sr. (D)
Leflore	4,035
TOTAL	**4,035**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 33

County	Thomas U. (Tommy) Reynolds
Lafayette	1,053
Tallahatchie	2,498
Yalobusha	3,310
TOTAL	**6,861**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 34

County	May Whittington (D)
Carroll	1,265
Holmes	102
Humphreys	634
Leflore	1,114
Montgomery	1,008
Washington	1,008
TOTAL	**5,131**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 35

County	Jimmy W. (Pete) Powell (D)	Dannie L. Reed (R)
Choctaw	958	1,805
Grenada	57	58
Oktibbeha	845	1,387
Webster	1,598	1,837
TOTAL	**3,458**	**5,087**
PERCENTAGES	40.5%	59.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 36

County	Jimmy Davidson (I)	David Gibbs (D)
Clay	1,429	4,001
Lowndes	68	206
Monroe	248	1,866
TOTAL	**1,745**	**6,073**
PERCENTAGES	22.3%	77.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 37

County	Gary A. Chism (R)	Robert M. (Bob) Ford (D)
Clay	1,006	680
Lowndes	1,864	399
Oktibbeha	2,007	1,451
TOTAL	**4,877**	**2,530**
PERCENTAGES	65.8%	34.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 38

County	Tyrone Ellis (D)
Clay	464
Lowndes	904
Noxubee	246
Oktibbeha	4,404
TOTAL	**6,018**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 39

County	William E. (Gene) Coleman (R)	Jeffrey C. (Jeff) Smith (D)
Lowndes	3,735	5,242
TOTAL	**3,735**	**5,242**
PERCENTAGES	41.6%	58.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 40

County	Ron Barnett (D)	W.T. (Ted) Mayhall, Jr. (R)
DeSoto	1,164	3,173
TOTAL	**1,164**	**3,173**
PERCENTAGES	26.8%	73.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 41

County	Esther Harrison (D)
Lowndes	4,666
TOTAL	**4,666**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 42

County	Reecy L. Dickson (D)	Janie R. Gregg (R)
Kemper	2,107	1,512
Lauderdale	298	183
Noxubee	3,440	1,332
TOTAL	**5,845**	**3,027**
PERCENTAGES	65.9%	34.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 43

County	Harvey Love Darden (I)	Kenny Ray Dempsey (R)	Robert J. Moody (D)
Kemper	14	250	575
Noxubee	0	9	28
Winston	1,017	1,418	6,947
TOTAL	**1,031**	**1,677**	**7,550**
PERCENTAGES	10.1%	16.3%	73.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 44

County	C. Scott Bounds (D)	Kirk Morgan (R)
Neshoba	3,938	3,479
TOTAL	**3,938**	**3,479**
PERCENTAGES	53.1%	46.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 45

County	Bennett Malone (D)
Leake	3,194
Neshoba	245
Rankin	328
Scott	769
TOTAL	**4,536**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 46

County	Larry Douglas Hayward (D)	Bobby B. Howell (R)
Attala	175	202
Carroll	481	1,934
Grenada	279	783
Leflore	181	1,170
Montgomery	1,174	2,301
TOTAL	**2,290**	**6,390**
PERCENTAGES	26.4%	73.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 47

County	Bryant W. Clark (D)
Attala	91
Holmes	3,754
Yazoo	1,189
TOTAL	**5,034**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 48

County	Mary Ann Stevens (D)
Attala	3,504
Carroll	471
Choctaw	507
Holmes	2,046
Humphreys	176
Leake	272
TOTAL	**6,976**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 49

County	Willie L. Bailey (D)
Washington	3,826
TOTAL	**3,826**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 50

County	John W. Hines (D)
Washington	4,083
TOTAL	**4,083**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 51

County	Rufus E. (Pete) Straughter (D)
Humphreys	2,676
Issaquena	155
Sharkey	1,439
Washington	257
Yazoo	1,028
TOTAL	**5,555**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 52

County	Tommy Woods (R)
DeSoto	3,968
Marshall	747
TOTAL	**4,715**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 53

County	Richard (Ricky) Baker (R)	Bobby Moak (D)
Amite	179	280
Franklin	1,093	1,250
Lawrence	393	359
Lincoln	1,844	2,689
Pike	159	328
TOTAL	**3,668**	**4,906**
PERCENTAGES	42.8%	57.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 54

County	Chester W. Masterson (R)
Issaquena	378
Sharkey	437
Warren	6,461
TOTAL	**7,276**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 55

County	George Flaggs, Jr. (D)
Warren	6,117
TOTAL	**6,117**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 56

County	Paige Eaves Gill (D)	Philip Gunn (R)
Hinds	648	3,079
Madison	515	2,579
Warren	176	590
Yazoo	907	2,157
TOTAL	**2,246**	**8,405**
PERCENTAGES	21.1%	78.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 57

County	Edward Blackmon, Jr. (D)	Richard Perry (R)
Madison	4,979	2,455
TOTAL	**4,979**	**2,455**
PERCENTAGES	67.0%	33.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 58

County	Rita Martinson (R)
Madison	9,385
TOTAL	**9,385**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 59

County	Clayton Smith (R)
Rankin	8,942
TOTAL	**8,942**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 60

County	John L. Moore (R)	Ryan White (I)	Vernon Ray White (C)
Rankin	5,660	706	119
Simpson	113	141	41
TOTAL	**5,773**	**847**	**160**
PERCENTAGES	85.1%	12.5%	2.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 61

County	Ray Rogers (R)	Jennifer L. Sills (I)
Rankin	6,266	946
TOTAL	**6,266**	**946**
PERCENTAGES	86.9%	13.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 62

County	Shane Easley (I)	Tom Weathersby (R)
Copiah	433	2,556
Rankin	656	4,477
Simpson	4	17
TOTAL	**1,093**	**7,050**
PERCENTAGES	13.4%	86.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 63

County	Walter L. Robinson, Jr. (D)
Hinds	5,966
TOTAL	**5,966**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 64

County	Bill Denny (R)
Hinds	7,432
Madison	1,167
TOTAL	**8,599**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 65

County	Mary H. Coleman (D)
Hinds	5,323
Madison	677
TOTAL	**6,000**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 66

County	Cecil Brown (D)
Hinds	4,974
TOTAL	**4,974**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 67

County	Earle S. Banks (D)
Hinds	5,181
TOTAL	**5,181**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 68

County	Credell Calhoun (D)	David S. Harrington (R)
Hinds	3,286	1,438
TOTAL	**3,286**	**1,438**
PERCENTAGES	69.6%	30.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 69

County	Alyce Griffin Clarke (D)
Hinds	4,536
TOTAL	**4,536**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 70

County	James (Jim) Evans (D)
Hinds	4,073
TOTAL	**4,073**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 71

County	Jenny Morris (I)	John Reeves (R)
Hinds	925	2,256
Rankin	178	195
TOTAL	**1,103**	**2,451**
PERCENTAGES	31.0%	69.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 72

County	Erik R. Fleming (D)
Hinds	6,286
Madison	450
TOTAL	**6,736**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 73

County	Jim Ellington (R)	Jay M. Loftin (D)
Hinds	6,109	2,854
TOTAL	**6,109**	**2,854**
PERCENTAGES	68.2%	31.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 74

County	Mark Baker (R)
Madison	3,146
Rankin	6,642
TOTAL	**9,788**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 75

County	Tracy Arinder, Jr. (D)	Frank M. Herring (R)
Scott	4,946	1,569
TOTAL	**4,946**	**1,569**
PERCENTAGES	75.9%	24.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 76

County	Greg Holloway, Sr. (D)	William L. (Dub) Lloyd (R)
Claiborne	716	133
Copiah	4,858	1,785
Hinds	197	54
TOTAL	**5,771**	**1,972**
PERCENTAGES	74.5%	25.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 77

County	Dale Berry (D)	Clint Rotenberry (R)
Rankin	102	235
Simpson	3,640	4,355
Smith	183	446
TOTAL	**3,925**	**5,036**
PERCENTAGES	43.8%	56.2%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 78

County	Thomas O. (Tom) Edwards (R)	Billy R. Nicholson (D)
Neshoba	448	784
Newton	2,077	3,248
Scott	387	312
TOTAL	**2,912**	**4,344**
PERCENTAGES	40.1%	59.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 79

County	Blaine (Bo) Eaton (D)	Larry L. Harvey (R)	Patrick D. Plankers (I)
Covington	1,005	266	24
Jones	1,158	960	58
Smith	3,312	3,044	111
TOTAL	**5,475**	**4,270**	**193**
PERCENTAGES	55.1%	43.0%	1.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 80

County	Omeria McDonald Scott (D)
Clarke	1,113
Jasper	1,451
Jones	3,514
TOTAL	**6,078**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 81

County	Stephen A. (Steve) Horne (R)
Clarke	432
Lauderdale	5,694
TOTAL	**6,126**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 82

County	Charles L. Young, Sr. (D)
Lauderdale	4,299
TOTAL	**4,299**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 83

County	Donald Price (D)	Greg Snowden (R)
Clarke	602	673
Lauderdale	1,465	3,290
TOTAL	**2,067**	**3,963**
PERCENTAGES	34.3%	65.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 84

County	Eric Robinson (R)
Clarke	3,380
Jasper	52
Lauderdale	4,584
Newton	204
TOTAL	**8,220**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 85

County	America (Chuck) Middleton (D)
Adams	1,347
Claiborne	3,062
Hinds	72
Jefferson	2,590
Warren	357
TOTAL	**7,428**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 86

County	Joe Taylor (D)
Clarke	245
Perry	628
Wayne	6,262
TOTAL	**7,135**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 87

County	Johnny W. Stringer (D)
Jasper	4,288
Jones	814
Newton	1,777
TOTAL	**6,879**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 88

County	Joe S. Ellzey (D)	Gary V. Staples (R)
Jones	3,405	4,055
Perry	642	496
TOTAL	**4,047**	**4,551**
PERCENTAGES	47.1%	52.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 89

County	Bobby Shows (D)
Jones	6,619
TOTAL	**6,619**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 90

County	Gaines Reynolds (R)	Joe (J. L.) Warren (D)
Covington	2,482	3,282
Forrest	69	130
Jefferson Davis	750	1,304
Marion	66	32
Simpson	257	636
TOTAL	**3,624**	**5,384**
PERCENTAGES	40.2%	59.8%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 91

County	Joey E. Hudson (D)
Copiah	208
Covington	151
Jefferson Davis	2,568
Lawrence	3,205
Simpson	574
TOTAL	**6,706**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 92

County	Jim Barnett (R)	F.C. Buddy Turpin (D)
Copiah	165	43
Franklin	907	243
Lincoln	5,704	2,349
TOTAL	**6,776**	**2,635**
PERCENTAGES	72.0%	28.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 93

County	Dirk D. Dedeaux (D)	Rico Lee (R)
Forrest	83	68
Hancock	2,135	1,633
Harrison	375	279
Lamar	465	122
Pearl River	283	269
Stone	1,417	505
TOTAL	**4,758**	**2,876**
PERCENTAGES	62.3%	37.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 94

County	Phillip West (D)
Adams	5,235
Claiborne	164
Jefferson	274
TOTAL	**5,673**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 95

County	Linda Johnson (D)	Jessica Upshaw (R)
Hancock	762	1,942
Harrison	1,828	1,897
TOTAL	**2,590**	**3,839**
PERCENTAGES	40.3%	59.7%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 96

County	David L. Green (D)
Adams	771
Amite	2,830
Pike	314
Wilkinson	3,135
TOTAL	**7,050**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 97

County	Derrick Dahl (D)	Sam C. Mims (R)
Adams	942	1,545
Amite	865	613
Franklin	43	30
Lawrence	172	209
Pike	1,555	3,053
Walthall	153	174
TOTAL	**3,730**	**5,624**
PERCENTAGES	39.9%	60.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 98

County	David W. Myers (D)
Pike	5,469
Walthall	399
TOTAL	**5,868**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 99

County	Edward (Eddie) Morgan (R)	Robert E. Vince (D)
Lamar	756	279
Marion	1,245	1,878
Pike	328	469
Walthall	952	3,191
TOTAL	**3,281**	**5,817**
PERCENTAGES	36.1%	63.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 100

County	Virginia Carter Carlton (R)	Ken Morgan (D)
Jefferson Davis	98	84
Lamar	1,417	823
Marion	3,208	3,516
TOTAL	**4,723**	**4,423**
PERCENTAGES	51.6%	48.4%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 101

County	Joey Fillingane (R)
Forrest	180
Lamar	7,911
TOTAL	**8,091**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 102

County	Lee Jerrell Davis (R)	Rick James (D)
Forrest	3,888	1,482
Lamar	119	67
TOTAL	**4,007**	**1,549**
PERCENTAGES	72.1%	27.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 103

County	Percy W. Watson (D)
Forrest	5,055
TOTAL	**5,055**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 104

County	Michael A. Lott (R)
Forrest	5,878
Lamar	1,053
TOTAL	**6,931**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 105

County	Randy (Bubba) Pierce (D)
Forrest	135
George	430
Greene	3,621
Perry	1,771
Wayne	484
TOTAL	**6,441**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 106

County	Herb Frierson (R)	Sherry Morris (D)
Lamar	117	49
Pearl River	4,100	2,699
TOTAL	**4,217**	**2,748**
PERCENTAGES	60.5%	39.5%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 107

County	Tom Bailey (R)	Deryk R. Parker (D)
Forrest	231	172
George	1,829	2,716
Jackson	22	49
Stone	1,427	1,891
TOTAL	**3,509**	**4,828**
PERCENTAGES	42.1%	57.9%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 108

County	Mark Formby (R)
Pearl River	1,562
TOTAL	**1,562**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 109

County	Frank Hamilton (R)
George	1,031
Jackson	5,723
TOTAL	**6,754**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 110

County	Billy Broomfield (D)
Jackson	5,554
TOTAL	**5,554**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 111

County	Carmel Wells-Smith (R)
Jackson	6,056
TOTAL	**6,056**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 112

County	John O. Read (R)
Jackson	5,417
TOTAL	**5,417**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 113

County	Henry (Hank) B. Zuber III (R)
Jackson	5,316
TOTAL	**5,316**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 114

County	Daniel D. (Danny) Guice, Jr.
Harrison	1,042
Jackson	3,576
TOTAL	**4,618**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 115

County	Randall Patterson (D)
Harrison	2,749
TOTAL	**2,749**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 116

County	Leonard L. Bentz (R)	Guy B. Roberts, Jr. (D)
Harrison	3,722	1,346
TOTAL	**3,722**	**1,346**
PERCENTAGES	73.4%	26.6%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 117

County	Michael Janus (R)
Harrison	4,283
TOTAL	**4,283**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 118

County	Roger Ishee (R)
Harrison	5,633
TOTAL	**5,633**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 119

County	Frances Fredericks (D)
Harrison	3,936
TOTAL	**3,936**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 120

County	Jim Simpson, Jr. (R)
Harrison	5,727
TOTAL	**5,727**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 121

County	Ray Harmon (R)	Diane C. Peranich (D)
Harrison	1,489	3,182
TOTAL	**1,489**	**3,182**
PERCENTAGES	31.9%	68.1%

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 122

County	J.P. Compretta (D)
Hancock	5,413
TOTAL	**5,413**
PERCENTAGE	100.0%

AMENDMENT NO. 1 / SCR NO. 522

This proposed amendment provides that after January 1, 2004, as vacancies occur, the twelve-member Board of Trustees of State Institutions of High Learning shall be appointed from each of the three Mississippi Supreme Court Districts, until there are four members from each Supreme Court District. The terms of office are reduced from twelve years to nine years. The terms are staggered so that all members appointed after 2012 will have a term of nine years.

County	YES	NO
Adams	8,670	1,301
Alcorn	1,620	378
Amite	3,497	911
Attala	4,405	903
Benton	1,566	345
Bolivar	1,789	614
Calhoun	3,568	803
Carroll	2,450	539
Chickasaw	3,386	1,013
Choctaw	2,329	534
Claiborne	2,657	621
Clarke	4,969	1,081
Clay	4,554	1,052
Coahoma	839	340
Copiah	6,227	1,168
Covington	5,350	632
DeSoto	20,730	2,800
Forrest	14,183	895
Franklin	2,241	428
George	4,761	883
Greene	2,706	365
Grenada	4,111	825
Hancock	10,352	1,260
Harrison	36,024	2,694
Hinds	54,859	11,742
Holmes	3,344	715
Humphreys	2,862	746
Issaquena	440	126
Itawamba	4,270	922
Jackson	31,300	2,625
Jasper	4,668	624
Jefferson	1,937	525
Jefferson Davis	4,053	630
Jones	17,444	1,850
Kemper	2,277	543
Lafayette	7,313	1,644
Lamar	12,671	993
Lauderdale	15,917	3,881
Lawrence	3,312	769
Leake	4,477	1,035
Lee	14,743	2,870
Leflore	2,195	576
Lincoln	7,243	1,230
Lowndes	13,022	1,952
Madison	19,134	3,551
Marion	7,343	767
Marshall	3,715	964
Monroe	6,480	1,181
Montgomery	2,973	776
Neshoba	6,459	1,353
Newton	4,917	1,360
Noxubee	2,049	580
Oktibbeha	8,836	1,705
Panola	6,304	1,219
Pearl River	8,369	1,515
Perry	2,655	286
Pike	9,357	1,670
Pontotoc	6,063	1,111
Prentiss	4,895	1,251
Quitman	2,173	550

AMENDMENT NO. 1 / SCR NO. 522 (Cont.)

County	YES	NO	County	YES	NO
Rankin	32,445	4,830	Union	6,158	1,159
Scott	5,651	1,208	Walthall	2,916	480
Sharkey	1,354	366	Warren	10,956	1,759
Simpson	7,508	1,405	Washington	6,991	1,563
Smith	5,237	1,029	Wayne	4,823	624
Stone	4,224	613	Webster	2,850	675
Sunflower	4,707	975	Wilkinson	2,296	512
Tallahatchie	2,276	511	Winston	5,549	1,122
Tate	4,502	700	Yalobusha	2,947	536
Tippah	3,715	1,304	Yazoo	2,707	652
Tishomingo	4,470	1,189	**TOTAL**	**588,444**	**102,020**
Tunica	1,109	586	PERCENTAGES	85.2%	14.8%

SENATE DISTRICT 29 SPECIAL ELECTION – FEBRUARY 10, 2004

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 29

Senate Special Committee concluded it was impossible to determine the will of the electorate in Senate District 29 in the November 4, 2003, General Election. Senate Special Committee recommended that a Special Election be held Tuesday, February 10, 2004. See results of the General Election on page 637.

[Reference: Senate Resolution No. 2 and No. 3 (2004 Regular Session) and Report of the Special Committee]

County	Dewayne Thomas (D)	Richard G. White (R)
Hinds	5,020	7,190
TOTAL	**5,020**	**7,190**
PERCENTAGES	41.1%	58.9%

2004 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY – MARCH 09, 2004

PRESIDENT

County	Wesley Clark	Howard Dean	John Edwards	John F. Kerry	Dennis Kucinich	Lyndon LaRouche	Joseph Lieberman	Al Sharpton
Adams	14	21	59	1,187	17	5	5	57
Alcorn	13	8	54	350	24	1	2	11
Amite	28	19	42	494	6	3	4	40
Attala	26	20	59	599	8	4	6	30
Benton	22	12	42	302	7	2	2	15
Bolivar	39	28	51	999	14	7	16	168
Calhoun	12	14	62	296	4	0	10	22
Carroll	5	13	38	385	3	0	6	18
Chickasaw	9	12	40	329	5	3	3	20
Choctaw	17	24	46	259	1	1	10	50
Claiborne	45	40	58	910	18	5	11	52
Clarke	20	24	67	594	8	2	5	83
Clay	12	20	75	718	3	4	3	50
Coahoma	93	54	190	1,056	27	26	50	134
Copiah	22	44	76	1,201	5	8	5	56
Covington	11	6	47	352	1	1	5	26
DeSoto	34	19	82	770	7	1	6	24
Forrest	20	19	67	884	16	1	5	67
Franklin	14	11	43	318	6	3	1	26
George	9	27	70	356	7	2	8	17
Greene	16	14	40	251	0	1	5	14
Grenada	22	20	43	259	1	1	5	22
Hancock	11	27	91	512	23	1	11	28
Harrison	52	86	274	2,560	39	6	25	212
Hinds	184	211	388	8,919	75	17	57	539

***PRESIDENT** (Cont.)*

County	Wesley Clark	Howard Dean	John Edwards	John F. Kerry	Dennis Kucinich	Lyndon LaRouche	Joseph Lieberman	Al Sharpton
Holmes	23	21	25	1,257	21	8	10	92
Humphreys	23	35	32	533	6	0	10	43
Issaquena	12	9	9	112	2	0	4	7
Itawamba	5	11	79	440	4	3	11	15
Jackson	36	46	175	1,692	22	4	17	110
Jasper	26	40	59	691	6	3	11	44
Jefferson	23	23	20	902	7	1	4	31
Jefferson Davis	11	20	46	573	20	4	13	55
Jones	25	27	82	924	6	1	13	55
Kemper	3	25	45	439	6	1	9	33
Lafayette	9	20	57	552	24	1	7	12
Lamar	12	6	41	328	2	2	3	21
Lauderdale	12	20	51	958	4	0	3	56
Lawrence	23	20	58	489	5	5	13	41
Leake	21	25	59	587	5	2	6	32
Lee	20	16	134	904	10	0	11	61
Leflore	24	16	36	785	7	1	15	45
Lincoln	17	23	77	630	7	3	8	41
Lowndes	10	9	49	572	3	1	8	25
Madison	49	53	114	1,794	22	6	16	103
Marion	34	13	68	604	9	2	11	31
Marshall	44	12	61	911	7	6	5	38
Monroe	23	25	113	748	5	7	9	56
Montgomery	22	14	39	366	7	3	11	40
Neshoba	23	27	77	391	7	1	12	28
Newton	7	13	33	285	3	0	7	51
Noxubee	1	14	6	295	4	0	3	23
Oktibbeha	15	20	63	703	22	0	8	49
Panola	39	22	80	852	9	3	5	34
Pearl River	11	20	100	604	5	3	9	33
Perry	6	12	21	182	1	0	5	15
Pike	23	14	78	918	5	0	8	37
Pontotoc	10	19	71	332	8	2	7	16
Prentiss	5	9	59	303	3	1	5	5
Quitman	27	12	26	379	4	1	3	22
Rankin	29	40	115	1,340	19	5	9	56
Scott	33	28	73	710	10	1	10	25
Sharkey	8	15	18	223	5	1	3	15
Simpson	21	15	59	571	16	3	7	24
Smith	17	20	65	334	3	0	12	21
Stone	17	13	37	256	3	2	2	14
Sunflower	27	24	54	667	11	6	8	58
Tallahatchie	21	34	61	536	10	5	11	95
Tate	37	11	64	448	7	3	1	23
Tippah	11	10	55	284	3	3	13	9
Tishomingo	13	13	77	499	1	4	6	6
Tunica	11	14	16	174	1	2	1	17
Union	23	19	100	436	4	2	12	22
Walthall	15	20	65	483	7	2	9	25
Warren	30	26	57	1,227	11	5	2	82
Washington	42	47	134	927	10	4	22	101
Wayne	23	61	56	494	6	2	2	52
Webster	12	9	55	216	1	1	4	7
Wilkinson	13	4	38	424	2	1	3	29
Winston	7	19	56	607	6	0	4	24
Yalobusha	3	7	34	297	1	0	2	14
Yazoo	41	44	46	767	18	7	7	33
TOTAL	**1,878**	**1,997**	**5,582**	**59,815**	**768**	**239**	**716**	**3,933**
PERCENTAGES	2.5%	2.7%	7.4%	79.8%	1.0%	0.3%	1.0%	5.2%

2004 REPUBLICAN PRIMARY – March 09, 2004

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	James Broadwater	Clinton B. LeSueur	Stephanie Summers-O'Neal
Attala	48	434	39
Bolivar	94	581	43
Carroll	42	480	34
Claiborne	4	175	2
Coahoma	2	44	6
Copiah	86	680	164
Hinds	440	4,555	377
Holmes	5	92	1
Humphreys	12	133	11
Issaquena	8	78	1
Jefferson	4	30	2
Leake	35	127	33
Leflore	41	852	79
Madison	45	416	56
Montgomery	27	128	41
Quitman	7	74	86
Sharkey	8	184	11
Sunflower	51	555	32
Tallahatchie	28	129	32
Tunica	2	3	3
Warren	93	1,941	89
Washington	51	2,146	64
Yazoo	133	631	113
TOTAL	**1,266**	**14,468**	**1,319**
PERCENTAGES	7.4%	84.8%	7.7%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Michael Lott	Steven A. McCaleb	Karl Cleveland Mertz
Clarke	496	17	8
Forrest	982	23	23
George	109	11	16
Greene	85	7	4
Hancock	230	34	32
Harrison	955	153	194
Jackson	906	112	131
Jasper	24	1	2
Jones	566	37	18
Lamar	626	22	19
Marion	99	14	8
Pearl River	517	48	54
Perry	71	11	3
Stone	135	13	17
Wayne	190	9	1
TOTAL	**5,991**	**512**	**530**
PERCENTAGES	85.2%	7.3%	7.5%

HOUSE DISTRICT 43 SPECIAL ELECTION – JUNE 01, 2004

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 43 *(16 candidates participated in the election)*

County	Willie Coleman, Jr.	Harvey Darden	Kenny Dempsey	Larry Duran	Riley Forrest	Gale Gregory	Carolyn Hampton	Pam Kirk	Douglas Lovorn
Kemper	11	0	3	5	0	119	12	2	4
Noxubee	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	4
Winston	91	296	200	365	34	1,369	609	469	437
TOTAL	**102**	**296**	**203**	**370**	**34**	**1,497**	**621**	**471**	**445**
PERCENTAGES	1.8%	5.1%	3.5%	6.4%	0.6%	26.0%	10.8%	8.2%	7.7%

(Cont.)

County	Phil Luke	Jeff Nowell	Russ Nowell	Steven W. Puckett	Ron Stroud	Linda Triplett	Billy Joe Webb, Jr.
Kemper	195	5	3	1	0	21	0
Noxubee	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winston	38	102	389	456	126	298	77
TOTAL	**235**	**107**	**392**	**457**	**126**	**319**	**77**
PERCENTAGES	4.1%	1.9%	6.8%	7.9%	2.2%	5.5%	1.3%

HOUSE DISTRICT 43 SPECIAL RUN-OFF ELECTION – JUNE 15, 2004

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 43

County	Gale Gregory	Carolyn R. Hampton
Kemper	227	71
Noxubee	19	0
Winston	3,746	2,167
TOTAL	**3,992**	**2,238**
PERCENTAGES	64.1%	35.9%

HOUSE DISTRICT 94 SPECIAL ELECTION – AUGUST 03, 2004

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 94

County	James Gray	Robert Johnson III	Tim Morrison	Jacqueline Sullivan
Adams	1,215	1,524	1,218	404
Claiborne	8	13	0	0
Jefferson	37	76	28	31
TOTAL	**1,260**	**1,613**	**1,246**	**435**
PERCENTAGES	27.7%	35.4%	27.4%	9.6%

HOUSE DISTRICT 94 SPECIAL RUN-OFF ELECTION – AUGUST 17, 2004

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 94

County	James (Rickey) Gray	Robert L. Johnson III
Adams	1,743	1,955
Claiborne	10	19
Jefferson	61	118
TOTAL	**1,814**	**2,092**
PERCENTAGES	46.4%	53.6%

2004 GENERAL ELECTION – November 02, 2004

PRESIDENT

County	Michael Badnarik (L)	George W. Bush (R)	David Cobb (G)	James Harris (I)	John F. Kerry (D)	Ralph Nader (RP)	Michael A. Peroutka (C)
Adams	14	6,996	4	3	8,423	27	3
Alcorn	43	8,634	15	4	5,454	69	20
Amite	6	4,147	3	9	3,012	15	5
Attala	4	5,014	8	11	3,145	14	11
Benton	6	1,969	8	2	2,245	12	5
Bolivar	12	5,535	15	16	9,631	32	66
Calhoun	2	4,131	1	5	2,234	13	3
Carroll	15	3,664	7	1	1,900	4	1
Chickasaw	15	4,193	7	9	4,078	27	14
Choctaw	6	2,694	3	2	1,366	7	4
Claiborne	13	950	3	15	4,362	8	4
Clarke	6	5,068	4	3	2,402	18	4
Clay	9	4,342	4	9	4,753	12	10
Coahoma	78	3,676	10	14	6,805	12	13
Copiah	13	6,374	2	7	4,961	18	13
Covington	8	5,044	5	8	3,158	22	7
DeSoto	88	36,306	15	20	13,583	132	56
Forrest	33	16,318	10	22	10,220	108	22
Franklin	3	2,893	2	6	1,574	9	4
George	8	6,223	4	11	1,724	19	12
Greene	4	3,850	1	3	1,421	16	4
Grenada	12	5,872	14	9	4,180	16	2
Hancock	35	12,581	11	21	5,107	100	14
Harrison	104	39,703	38	42	23,076	240	64
Hinds	126	36,975	86	84	54,845	226	158
Holmes	4	1,961	12	22	6,366	9	9
Humphreys	15	1,679	9	13	3,168	13	2
Issaquena	5	439	3	2	516	1	4
Itawamba	7	6,833	5	14	2,802	36	13
Jackson	56	35,134	28	34	15,572	180	45
Jasper	9	3,855	6	5	4,117	16	1
Jefferson	4	630	6	0	2,821	2	3
Jefferson Davis	15	2,668	36	53	2,959	24	10
Jones	8	19,125	8	13	7,398	68	46
Kemper	7	2,109	2	4	2,465	10	6
Lafayette	50	9,004	19	6	6,218	76	15
Lamar	28	16,410	8	15	3,923	59	22
Lauderdale	28	19,736	12	25	10,292	61	12
Lawrence	8	3,956	4	5	2,308	20	5
Leake	7	4,962	5	5	3,212	16	5
Lee	42	20,254	14	22	10,127	108	54
Leflore	26	4,635	33	25	7,566	35	143
Lincoln	13	10,008	2	10	4,418	28	12
Lowndes	36	13,690	20	20	10,408	68	26
Madison	48	24,257	12	21	13,268	77	41
Marion	9	7,999	8	13	3,888	26	4
Marshall	19	5,975	13	12	8,591	24	15
Monroe	15	9,308	4	9	6,237	44	15
Montgomery	3	3,002	0	6	2,473	9	3
Neshoba	8	7,780	5	8	2,600	15	2
Newton	5	6,165	9	6	2,280	11	11
Noxubee	7	1,723	3	3	4,346	5	10
Oktibbeha	37	9,068	13	14	7,015	83	49
Panola	16	6,769	5	11	6,615	21	3
Pearl River	23	14,896	8	13	4,472	60	15
Perry	5	3,747	4	3	1,261	5	5

PRESIDENT (Cont.)

County	Michael Badnarik (L)	George W. Bush (R)	David Cobb (G)	James Harris (I)	John F. Kerry (D)	Ralph Nader (RP)	Michael A. Peroutka (C)
Pike	19	8,660	9	14	7,881	41	8
Pontotoc	16	8,480	2	17	2,660	55	10
Prentiss	3	6,538	5	15	3,327	38	6
Quitman	7	1,360	6	5	2,032	3	3
Rankin	95	43,054	67	80	11,005	178	238
Scott	7	6,395	5	3	3,802	9	7
Sharkey	74	1,120	145	94	1,560	52	48
Simpson	17	7,138	4	7	3,272	8	28
Smith	6	5,577	1	11	1,496	13	16
Stone	15	4,146	4	8	1,528	20	14
Sunflower	53	3,534	14	31	6,359	18	6
Tallahatchie	24	2,737	11	10	3,420	11	4
Tate	6	6,760	3	5	4,347	31	15
Tippah	15	6,174	5	19	3,016	34	12
Tishomingo	16	5,379	9	16	2,846	56	4
Tunica	14	950	4	7	2,140	6	8
Union	17	7,906	5	8	2,839	31	13
Walthall	14	3,888	2	0	2,435	12	1
Warren	26	11,356	7	14	8,224	40	12
Washington	18	7,731	75	60	11,569	43	101
Wayne	3	5,562	6	3	3,193	15	12
Webster	1	3,708	0	4	1,341	6	5
Wilkinson	3	1,563	5	4	2,794	6	10
Winston	3	5,386	4	14	3,978	19	5
Yalobusha	6	3,278	2	11	2,656	16	2
Yazoo	89	5,672	77	60	5,013	30	46
TOTAL	**1,793**	**684,981**	**1,073**	**1,268**	**458,094**	**3,177**	**1,759**
PERCENTAGES	0.2%	59.5%	0.1%	0.1%	39.8%	0.3%	0.2%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Barbara Dale Washer (RP)	Roger F. Wicker (R)
Alcorn	1,033	7,560
Benton	1,330	2,564
Calhoun	1,069	5,354
Chickasaw	1,953	5,930
Choctaw	546	3,089
Clay	2,887	6,291
DeSoto	8,611	38,403
Grenada	2,340	6,505
Itawamba	1,316	8,246
Lafayette	3,300	10,904
Lee	4,467	24,089
Lowndes	4,711	16,163
Marshall	4,622	7,787
Monroe	3,124	12,048
Panola	4,063	8,209
Pontotoc	1,138	9,859
Prentiss	2,523	7,624
Tate	2,856	7,667
Tippah	1,358	7,214
Tishomingo	1,552	6,372
Union	1,197	9,157
Webster	649	4,023
Winston	21	55
Yalobusha	1,590	4,215
TOTAL	**58,256**	**219,328**
PERCENTAGES	21.0%	79.0%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Clinton B. LeSueur (R)	Shawn O'Hara (RP)	Bennie Thompson (D)
Attala	5,099	101	3,386
Bolivar	5,962	117	8,957
Carroll	3,615	102	2,032
Claiborne	1,052	36	4,350
Coahoma	3,441	259	6,453
Copiah	6,514	165	6,197
Hinds	27,738	502	48,301
Holmes	2,151	52	6,352
Humphreys	1,640	36	3,280
Issaquena	420	6	556
Jefferson	759	36	3,298
Leake	2,225	61	2,119
Leflore	4,737	99	7,224
Madison	4,526	79	8,667
Montgomery	2,793	61	2,686
Quitman	1,367	55	2,696
Sharkey	1,121	20	1,597
Sunflower	3,760	114	6,501
Tallahatchie	2,497	140	3,960
Tunica	819	73	2,367
Warren	11,723	169	7,669
Washington	8,184	195	10,959
Yazoo	5,504	118	5,019
TOTAL	**107,647**	**2,596**	**154,626**
PERCENTAGES	40.6%	1.0%	58.4%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Jim Giles (I)	Lamonica L. Magee (RP)	Charles W. Pickering, Jr. (R)
Adams	2,276	741	8,623
Amite	1,312	542	4,836
Covington	1,316	707	6,110
Franklin	614	257	3,350
Hinds	1,541	740	12,542
Jasper	676	298	1,961
Jefferson Davis	1,504	691	3,815
Jones	131	59	800
Kemper	932	334	3,136
Lauderdale	3,394	1,105	22,962
Lawrence	970	455	4,661
Leake	535	154	3,118
Lincoln	1,866	779	11,735
Madison	2,177	1,078	22,067
Marion	830	246	3,783
Neshoba	927	397	9,062
Newton	768	385	6,995
Noxubee	1,356	377	2,667
Oktibbeha	2,866	1,440	11,294
Pike	3,334	1,559	10,438
Rankin	3,566	1,776	44,624
Scott	1,425	475	7,878
Simpson	1,695	949	8,264
Smith	872	250	6,450
Walthall	911	902	4,486
Webster	57	15	317
Wilkinson	925	726	2,117
Winston	1,650	631	6,783
TOTAL	**40,426**	**18,068**	**234,874**
PERCENTAGES	13.8%	6.2%	80.1%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Tracella Lou O'Hara Hill (RP)	Michael Lott (R)	Gene Taylor (D)
Clarke	74	4,407	3,426
Forrest	244	9,793	16,745
George	39	2,590	5,783
Greene	25	1,664	3,685
Hancock	136	5,486	12,237
Harrison	577	16,875	46,654
Jackson	297	15,994	34,063
Jasper	36	1,385	3,619
Jones	149	10,953	15,181
Lamar	117	9,538	10,714
Marion	45	2,958	3,994
Pearl River	161	9,294	10,248
Perry	23	1,600	3,696
Stone	49	1,701	4,522
Wayne	56	2,502	6,747
TOTAL	**2,028**	**96,740**	**181,614**
PERCENTAGES	0.7%	34.5%	64.8%

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 1 (CENTRAL), POSITION 1

County	Ray (Richard) Grindstaff	William L. (Bill) Waller, Jr.
Bolivar	4,507	6,040
Claiborne	1,345	3,424
Copiah	3,082	7,938
Hinds	23,400	60,332
Holmes	1,968	5,516
Humphreys	1,149	3,107
Issaquena	202	550
Jefferson	925	2,209
Kemper	1,074	3,148
Lauderdale	5,916	18,945
Leake	1,836	6,081
Madison	7,138	26,282
Neshoba	2,059	7,760
Newton	2,118	6,138
Noxubee	1,318	2,680
Rankin	11,696	37,419
Scott	2,240	7,328
Sharkey	488	1,564
Sunflower	2,025	6,732
Warren	4,001	13,464
Washington	4,474	9,808
Yazoo	1,675	7,138
TOTAL	**84,636**	**243,603**
PERCENTAGES	25.8%	74.2%

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 1 (CENTRAL), POSITION 2

County	James Graves	Ceola James	Samac Richardson	William Skinner
Bolivar	7,924	1,402	2,305	816
Claiborne	3,827	689	491	393
Copiah	6,283	316	3,260	2,258
Hinds	55,847	2,397	14,901	16,066
Holmes	5,085	344	744	1,714
Humphreys	2,730	398	999	589
Issaquena	396	102	179	136
Jefferson	2,241	311	518	459
Kemper	2,358	240	1,539	588
Lauderdale	11,444	723	11,337	4,180
Leake	3,324	313	3,058	1,402
Madison	15,614	896	13,471	6,681

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 1 (CENTRAL), POSITION 2 (Cont.)

County	James Graves	Ceola James	Samac Richardson	William Skinner
Neshoba	2,786	291	5,270	1,858
Newton	3,380	209	3,739	1,453
Noxubee	2,459	283	1,245	902
Rankin	13,848	829	28,594	8,612
Scott	3,962	262	4,248	1,467
Sharkey	1,304	202	570	314
Sunflower	5,249	1,397	1,861	1,101
Warren	6,712	4,080	3,778	3,842
Washington	9,104	2,818	3,522	1,711
Yazoo	4,458	514	2,839	1,542
TOTAL	**170,335**	**19,016**	**108,468**	**58,084**
PERCENTAGES	47.9%	5.3%	30.5%	16.3%

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 2 (SOUTHERN), POSITION 3

County	Joe Lee	Mike Randolph
Adams	4,020	6,682
Amite	2,525	3,851
Clarke	2,581	4,486
Covington	2,899	5,040
Forrest	6,065	19,225
Franklin	1,777	2,240
George	3,137	4,533
Greene	1,732	3,099
Hancock	6,682	9,458
Harrison	17,821	38,836
Jackson	14,214	31,532
Jasper	3,708	3,858
Jefferson Davis	3,200	2,735
Jones	7,865	18,364
Lamar	5,284	13,995
Lawrence	2,986	2,922
Lincoln	4,443	9,454
Marion	3,962	7,458
Pearl River	8,702	8,734
Perry	1,316	3,642
Pike	5,354	10,086
Simpson	6,787	4,194
Smith	3,276	4,153
Stone	2,203	3,490
Walthall	1,652	4,456
Wayne	3,340	5,325
Wilkinson	1,497	2,243
TOTAL	**129,028**	**234,091**
PERCENTAGES	35.5%	64.5%

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 3 (NORTHERN), POSITION 3

County	William L. Bambach	George Carlson
Alcorn	1,858	5,837
Attala	2,275	4,851
Benton	1,202	2,123
Calhoun	1,512	4,424
Carroll	1,796	3,197
Chickasaw	2,121	5,397
Choctaw	1,157	2,292
Clay	3,562	5,546
Coahoma	3,146	4,068
DeSoto	9,126	32,004

***SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 3 (NORTHERN), POSITION 3** (Cont.)*

County	William L. Bambach	George Carlson
Grenada	2,600	6,061
Itawamba	2,402	6,459
Lafayette	3,130	10,038
Lee	5,484	21,000
Leflore	1,489	5,415
Lowndes	7,562	13,644
Marshall	3,704	7,868
Monroe	4,103	10,129
Montgomery	1,696	3,313
Oktibbeha	4,579	9,928
Panola	1,468	11,833
Pontotoc	1,990	7,843
Prentiss	2,529	5,915
Quitman	1,054	2,421
Tallahatchie	1,437	4,433
Tate	2,262	7,923
Tippah	2,204	5,742
Tishomingo	1,910	4,948
Tunica	1,053	1,423
Union	2,341	7,324
Webster	1,546	3,210
Winston	2,990	5,827
Yalobusha	1,163	4,452
TOTAL	**88,451**	**236,888**
PERCENTAGES	27.2%	72.8%

AMENDMENT NO. 1 / HCR NO. 56

A concurrent resolution proposing to amend the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 by creating a new section 263-A to provide that marriage may take place and may be valid under the laws of this state only between a man and a woman; to provide that a marriage in another state or foreign jurisdiction between persons of the same gender, regardless of when the marriage took place, may not be recognized in this state and is void and unenforceable under the laws of this state; and for related purposes.

County	YES	NO
Adams	11,351	2,278
Alcorn	9,793	733
Amite	6,305	723
Attala	7,576	817
Benton	3,421	571
Bolivar	7,489	1,128
Calhoun	5,944	549
Carroll	4,792	643
Chickasaw	7,336	914
Choctaw	3,695	377
Claiborne	3,758	1,163
Clarke	7,144	633
Clay	8,727	1,250
Coahoma	4,742	785
Copiah	10,776	1,512
Covington	7,278	909
DeSoto	42,379	6,148
Forrest	21,815	4,582
Franklin	3,849	496
George	7,441	719
Greene	4,921	379
Grenada	8,313	1,073
Hancock	13,058	3,770
Harrison	47,367	14,556
Hinds	71,798	19,561
Holmes	6,521	1,214
Humphreys	3,586	825
Issaquena	685	159
Itawamba	9,122	576
Jackson	39,960	9,667
Jasper	6,969	1,007
Jefferson	2,993	788
Jefferson Davis	5,505	780
Jones	24,540	2,133
Kemper	4,122	586
Lafayette	11,773	3,368
Lamar	18,291	2,060
Lauderdale	25,943	3,327
Lawrence	6,010	592
Leake	7,376	857
Lee	26,923	2,934
Leflore	6,541	1,026
Lincoln	13,386	1,328
Lowndes	20,361	2,862
Madison	32,152	5,759
Marion	10,912	916

AMENDMENT NO. 1 / HCR NO. 56 (Cont.)

County	YES	NO	County	YES	NO
Marshall	11,353	2,068	Stone	5,137	854
Monroe	14,604	1,375	Sunflower	7,526	1,459
Montgomery	4,833	500	Tallahatchie	5,150	903
Neshoba	9,766	780	Tate	9,879	1,219
Newton	7,399	757	Tippah	8,660	667
Noxubee	4,611	868	Tishomingo	7,721	735
Oktibbeha	13,603	3,040	Tunica	2,169	785
Panola	11,774	1,628	Union	10,094	743
Pearl River	17,015	2,186	Walthall	5,924	713
Perry	4,729	488	Warren	15,041	3,088
Pike	14,416	2,095	Washington	14,454	2,804
Pontotoc	10,668	702	Wayne	8,338	844
Prentiss	9,553	680	Webster	4,713	458
Quitman	2,798	934	Wilkinson	3,559	613
Rankin	47,981	6,351	Winston	8,653	1,019
Scott	8,933	1,392	Yalobusha	5,235	731
Sharkey	1,786	381	Yazoo	7,039	971
Simpson	10,101	1,214	**TOTAL**	**957,104**	**155,648**
Smith	7,150	570	PERCENTAGES	86.0%	14.0%

2004 GENERAL ELECTION RUN-OFF – SUPREME COURT D1, P2 – NOVEMBER 16, 2004

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, DISTRICT 1 (CENTRAL), POSITION 2

County	James Graves	Samac Richardson
Bolivar	3,148	1,448
Claiborne	2,196	249
Copiah	3,755	2,301
Hinds	35,306	13,129
Holmes	2,972	658
Humphreys	1,657	764
Issaquena	298	147
Jefferson	1,587	233
Kemper	1,336	1,010
Lauderdale	4,832	7,464
Leake	1,497	1,593
Madison	8,732	8,421
Neshoba	1,106	3,188
Newton	1,415	2,395
Noxubee	1,287	583
Rankin	6,890	17,611
Scott	1,945	2,251
Sharkey	885	358
Sunflower	2,297	1,023
Warren	4,389	2,579
Washington	4,938	2,084
Yazoo	2,382	2,189
TOTAL	**94,850**	**71,678**
PERCENTAGES	57.0%	43.0%

SENATE DISTRICT 1 - SPECIAL ELECTION – DECEMBER 14, 2004

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 1

County	Doug Davis	Jesse D. James	Anthony W. Pastori	Josephina Zorzoli
DeSoto	1,779	1,024	96	367
TOTAL	**1,779**	**1,024**	**96**	**367**
PERCENTAGES	54.5%	31.4%	2.9%	11.2%

HOUSE DISTRICT 105 SPECIAL ELECTION – MARCH 22, 2005

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 105 *(9 candidates participated in the election)*

County	John Barrow, Sr.	Howard Garrett, Sr.	Noel Hillman	Mack McInnis	A.D. McLeod
Forrest	1	0	6	1	0
George	57	0	5	16	2
Greene	360	214	247	130	32
Perry	4	87	86	19	7
Wayne	7	29	5	2	0
TOTAL	**429**	**330**	**349**	**168**	**41**
PERCENTAGES	13.2%	10.1%	10.7%	5.2%	1.3%

(Cont.)

County	Joseph Ladd Pulliam	Sue Turner	J. Shaun Walley	Paul D. Walley
Forrest	0	3	6	9
George	3	3	16	22
Greene	471	131	394	244
Perry	61	22	110	356
Wayne	9	0	58	24
TOTAL	**544**	**159**	**584**	**655**
PERCENTAGES	16.7%	4.9%	17.9%	20.1%

HOUSE DISTRICT 105 SPECIAL RUN-OFF – APRIL 05, 2005

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 105

County	J. Shaun Walley	Paul D. Walley
Forrest	5	28
George	31	63
Greene	1,219	757
Perry	270	453
Wayne	199	43
TOTAL	**1,724**	**1,344**
PERCENTAGES	56.2%	43.8%

Archived Election Results

1998 REPUBLICAN PRIMARY – JUNE 02, 1998

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Randy McDonnell	Karl Mertz	Shawn O'Hara
Forrest	352	212	103
George	40	67	31
Greene	66	54	31
Hancock	78	114	35
Harrison	559	338	130
Jackson	377	358	155
Lamar	233	121	53
Pearl River	49	208	42
Perry	42	31	23
Stone	14	45	12
Wayne	65	48	24
TOTAL	**1,875**	**1,596**	**639**
PERCENTAGES	45.6%	38.8%	15.5%

1998 REPUBLICAN PRIMARY RUN-OFF – JUNE 23, 1998

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Phil Davis	Delbert Hosemann
Adams	413	754
Amite	279	308
Copiah	590	576
Covington	456	203
Franklin	194	173
Hinds	4,787	7,867
Jefferson Davis	245	112
Jones	751	1,138
Lawrence	327	247
Lincoln	587	1,135
Marion	357	307
Pike	600	1,219
Simpson	1,801	502
Walthall	271	220
Wilkinson	47	128
TOTAL	**11,705**	**14,889**
PERCENTAGES	44.0%	56.0%

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	Randy McDonnell	Karl Mertz
Forrest	263	224
George	38	62
Greene	41	42
Hancock	79	123
Harrison	683	425
Jackson	402	383
Lamar	182	118
Pearl River	80	182
Perry	40	29
Stone	8	32
Wayne	37	38
TOTAL	**1,853**	**1,658**
PERCENTAGES	52.8%	47.2%

Disclaimer: The Secretary of State's Office is required by law to post the certified returns exactly as they are submitted, regardless of numerical accuracy. Thus, election return totals provided herein appear exactly as certified to the Secretary of State's Office by the responsible election officials.

The Secretary of State's Office certifies general election results for statewide, federal, and multi-county offices. County Election Commissioners certify general election results for countywide and county district offices. State party executive committees for each party certify primary election results for statewide, federal, and multi-county offices. County party executive committees of each party certify primary election results of countywide and county district offices. Municipal Election Commissioners certify municipal general elections. Municipal executive committees of each party certify municipal primary elections.

Primary elections are not conducted for the following judicial offices: Supreme Court Justice, Court of Appeals Judge, Circuit Court Judge, Chancery Court Judge, County Court Judge, and Family Court Judge.

Election Resources

In addition to the Secretary of State's Office and local voter registrars, the following organizations offer helpful elections information:

The Center for Responsive Politics
1101 14th St. N.W., Ste. 1030
Washington, DC 20005-5635
(202) 857-0044/(f) (202) 857-7809

E-mail: info@crp.org
Website: www.opensecrets.org

Common Cause of Mississippi
P.O. Box 13651
Jackson 39236
(601) 969-0302

E-mail: comcausems@aol.com
Website: www.commoncause.org

Federal Election Commission
999 E Street NW
Washington, DC 20463
(800) 424-9530
TTY (202) 219-3336 (hearing impaired)

E-mail: webmaster@fec.gov
Website: www.fec.gov

Federal Voting Assistance Program
Office of the Secretary of Defense
Washington Headquarters Services
1155 Defense Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301-1155
(800) 438-8683/(f) (703) 696-1352

E-mail: vote@fvap.ncr.gov
Website: www.fvap.gov

League of Women Voters of Mississippi
P.O. Box 55505
Jackson 39216-5505
(601) 352-4616

E-mail: fleber@aol.com
Websites: www.lwv-ms.org/;
www.lwv.org

Mississippi Protection and Advocacy
(information and assistance for the disabled)
5305 Executive Place
Jackson 39206
(800) 772-4057 (voice and TTY)

Website: www.mspas.com
E-mail: info@mspas.com

Information current as of July 1, 2005.

Sources: Secretary of State's Office, Democratic Party of the State of Mississippi, Mississippi Republican Party, 2000-2004 Official and Statistical Register.

Elections Calendar

The chart on the following page reflects regularly-scheduled elections and does not account for special elections, elections affected by litigation, and other special circumstances. For more information about these offices, see pages 533-538.

** Not all counties elect all of the offices listed. ** Some special-charter municipalities hold elections in years other than those indicated. *** Supreme Court Justices, Appeals Court Judges, and County Board of Education members run in staggered terms.*

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Federal Offices					
President and Vice President	✓				✓
United States Senator (Staggered 6 yr. Term)			✓		✓
United States Representative	✓		✓		✓
State Offices					
Governor				✓	
Lieutenant Governor				✓	
Secretary of State				✓	
Attorney General				✓	
State Auditor				✓	
State Treasurer				✓	
Commissioner of Insurance				✓	
Commissioner of Ag. & Commerce				✓	
State Senator				✓	
State Representative				✓	
Supreme Court District Offices					
Supreme Court Justice***	✓				✓
Transportation Commissioner				✓	
Public Service Commissioner				✓	
State District Offices					
Court of Appeals Judge***			✓		✓
Chancery Court Judge			✓		
Circuit Court Judge			✓		
District Attorney				✓	
Levee Commissioner	✓		✓		✓
County Offices*					
Sheriff				✓	
Chancery Clerk				✓	
Circuit Clerk				✓	
County Court Judge			✓		
Tax Assessor				✓	
Tax Collector				✓	
Coroner				✓	
Superintendent of Education				✓	
County Attorney				✓	
Surveyor				✓	
County District Offices					
Supervisor				✓	
Justice Court Judge				✓	
Constable				✓	
Election Commissioner	✓				✓
County School Board Member***	✓		✓		✓
Municipal Offices**		✓			

General Information

"Our total efforts and abilities must be united to faithfully and effectively serve every Mississippian…"

Evelyn Gandy
First woman elected Lieutenant Governor In Mississippi (1976-1980)

I feel confident that all Mississippians share a just pride in the progress which we have made in every phase of life in our State. We now have tools to work with that we have never had before—tools that other states have not yet forged. It is my strong conviction that we have an unparalleled opportunity to move Mississippi forward and upward and set the pace for the other 49 states. To accomplish this objective, let us—individually and collectively—seek a renewed sense of unity, a meaningful atmosphere of harmony. Such a unity is in no way intended to mean a unanimous vote on issues. Nor is unity intended to mean one voice. Unity is intended to mean that we pool our combined efforts, our abilities, our knowledge and our hearts toward the high purpose of obtaining a better government for all people. Let every voice make known what kind of government would command his or her respect, and this will be one step toward obtaining it. But certainly we must be unified in our desire to achieve a high level of performance whereby we are neither bound by the sepulcher of precedents nor frightened by the winds of change. Government by precedent, without regard for the principle of the precedent, is devoid of merit if not wisdom. Yet change for the mere sake of change alone is lacking in its every aspect. Our total efforts and abilities must be united to faithfully and effectively serve every Mississippian and move Mississippi forward and upward to new heights of leadership. This we can do—this we must do! Let us go forth then, remembering this fundamental truth: What is once well done is done forever.

Adapted from remarks given by Lieutenant Governor Evelyn Gandy to the Joint Session of the Mississippi Legislature during her inauguration on Wednesday, January 14, 1976

Photo: Home of Kearney C. and Abbie Whigham Gandy, now deceased, and their daughters, former Lieutenant Governor Evelyn Gandy and former Commissioner of Human Services Frances Gandy, MSW, ACSW.

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Seasonal and Annual Temps and Precipitation

TEMPERATURE

Division	Winter	Spring	Summer	Fall	Annual
Upper Delta	43	62	80	63	62
North Central	42	61	78	62	61
Northeast	42	61	78	61	61
Lower Delta	46	64	81	65	64
Central	46	62	79	63	63
East Central	45	62	79	63	63
Southwest	49	65	80	66	65
South Central	49	65	80	66	65
Southeast	49	64	80	65	64
Coastal	52	66	81	68	67

PRECIPITATION

Division	Winter	Spring	Summer	Fall	Annual
Upper Delta	15.1	16.7	11.6	11.8	55.1
North Central	15.4	16.8	12.4	12.4	57.0
Northeast	16.2	17.5	12.0	12.8	58.4
Lower Delta	16.3	17.4	11.4	12.1	57.2
Central	16.7	17.4	11.9	12.3	58.3
East Central	16.2	17.0	12.2	12.1	57.5
Southwest	17.6	18.0	13.2	12.6	61.4
South Central	17.5	18.0	14.4	12.6	62.5
Southeast	16.5	16.8	13.4	12.4	59.1
Coastal	16.9	17.4	17.5	13.9	65.7

Data based on the 1971-2000 normals.

Climate Information

MEAN TEMPERATURE (DEGREES F)

	January		July		
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Annual
Biloxi	58	44	89	75	67
Clarksdale	49	32	92	72	63
Columbus	54	32	92	71	63
Corinth	49	33	92	71	62
Greenville	52	33	95	73	64
Hernando	48	28	90	70	60
Jackson	55	35	91	71	64
Kosciusko	54	33	92	70	63
Laurel	57	36	91	71	65
Meridian	58	35	93	71	65
Natchez	58	39	91	72	66
Tupelo	50	31	91	70	61
Tylertown	60	39	91	71	66

Based on 1971-2000 normals

PRECIPITATION (INCHES)

	Mean Wettest Month	Mean Driest Month	Mean Annual
Biloxi	7.4	3.3	64.84
Clarksdale	5.5	2.5	54.24
Columbus	6.2	3.2	55.91
Corinth	6.0	3.2	56.67
Greenville	5.8	2.2	54.20
Hernando	6.0	3.2	55.06
Jackson	6.0	3.2	55.95
Kosciusko	6.7	3.6	60.38
Laurel	6.3	3.3	58.60
Meridian	6.9	3.3	58.65
Natchez	6.7	3.7	62.09
Tupelo	6.3	2.7	55.86
Tylertown	6.8	3.9	65.74

Based on 1971-2000 normals

FREEZE DATA MEANS

	Last Spring Date		First Fall Date		Days Between Dates	
	24 or below	32 or below	24 or below	32 or below	24 or below	32 or below
Biloxi	Jan 19	Feb 21	Jan 17	Dec 07	363	287
Clarksdale	Feb 16	Mar 15	Dec 09	Nov 12	294	241
Columbus	Feb 17	Mar 26	Dec 16	Nov 08	301	225
Corinth	Mar 01	Apr 04	Nov 20	Oct 28	264	205
Greenville	Feb 15	Mar 15	Dec 12	Nov 15	296	243
Hernando	Feb 23	Mar 29	Nov 30	Nov 06	282	220
Jackson	Feb 18	Mar 22	Dec 10	Nov 09	295	231
Kosciusko	Feb 24	Mar 27	Dec 03	Nov 04	282	222
Laurel	Feb 08	Mar 12	Dec 16	Nov 15	310	247
Meridian	Feb 17	Mar 24	Dec 09	Nov 06	294	225
Natchez	Feb 05	Mar 12	Dec 15	Nov 16	313	250
Tupelo	Mar 03	Apr 03	Nov 27	Oct 29	269	208
Tylertown	Feb 10	Mar 21	Dec 18	Nov 13	310	236

Time period of Freeze Data is from 1955-2004, except for Jackson and Tupelo which is from 1963-2004.
Dates represent the 50 percent probability of occurrence.

CENSUS 2000 MISSISSIPPI POPULATION

Geographic area	2003 estimates	2000	1990	1980	1970	1960	White
Mississippi	2,881,283	2,844,658	2,573,216	2,520,638	2,216,912	2,178,141	1,746,099
Adams County	33,233	34,340	35,356	38,035	37,293	37,730	15,809
Alcorn County	34,930	34,558	31,722	33,036	27,179	25,282	30,193
Amite County	13,594	13,599	13,328	13,369	13,763	15,573	7,673
Attala County	19,673	19,661	18,481	19,865	19,570	21,335	11,470
Benton County	7,774	8,026	8,046	8,153	7,505	7,723	4,954
Bolivar County	39,235	40,633	41,875	45,965	49,409	54,464	13,507
Calhoun County	14,827	15,069	14,908	15,664	14,623	15,941	10,460
Carroll County	10,462	10,769	9,237	9,776	9,397	11,177	6,749
Chickasaw County	19,204	19,440	18,085	17,853	16,805	16,891	11,060
Choctaw County	9,661	9,758	9,071	8,996	8,440	8,423	6,638
Claiborne County	11,502	11,831	11,370	12,279	10,086	10,845	1,796
Clarke County	17,746	17,955	17,313	16,945	15,049	16,493	11,580
Clay County	21,625	21,979	21,120	21,082	18,840	18,933	9,411
Coahoma County	29,546	30,622	31,665	36,918	40,447	46,212	8,965
Copiah County	28,928	28,757	27,592	26,503	24,749	27,051	13,747
Covington County	20,177	19,407	16,527	15,927	14,002	13,637	12,307
DeSoto County	124,378	107,199	67,910	53,930	35,885	23,891	91,950
Forrest County	74,386	72,604	68,314	66,018	57,849	52,722	46,717
Franklin County	8,340	8,448	8,377	8,208	8,011	9,286	5,305
George County	20,407	19,144	16,673	15,297	12,459	11,098	17,110
Greene County	13,169	13,299	10,220	9,827	8,545	8,366	9,681
Grenada County	22,809	23,263	21,555	21,043	19,854	18,409	13,474
Hancock County	45,145	42,967	31,760	24,537	17,387	14,039	38,752
Harrison County	189,614	189,601	165,365	157,665	134,582	119,489	138,692
Hinds County	249,087	250,800	254,441	250,998	214,973	187,045	93,584
Holmes County	21,347	21,609	21,604	22,970	23,120	27,096	4,424
Humphreys County	10,722	11,206	12,134	13,931	14,601	19,093	3,045
Issaquena County	2,016	2,274	1,909	2,513	2,737	3,576	826
Itawamba County	22,964	22,770	20,017	20,518	16,847	15,080	21,055
Jackson County	133,928	131,420	115,243	118,015	87,975	55,522	99,026
Jasper County	182,280	18,149	17,114	17,265	15,994	16,909	8,433
Jefferson County	9,533	9,740	8,653	9,181	9,295	10,142	1,272
Jefferson Davis County	13,399	13,962	14,051	13,846	12,936	13,540	5,816
Jones County	65,168	64,958	62,031	61,912	56,357	59,542	46,192
Kemper County	10,435	10,453	10,356	10,148	10,233	12,277	4,080
Lafayette County	40,188	38,744	31,826	31,030	24,181	21,355	27,838
Lamar County	41,957	39,070	30,424	23,821	15,209	13,675	33,342
Lauderdale County	77,706	78,161	75,555	77,285	67,087	67,119	47,013
Lawrence County	13,520	13,258	12,458	12,518	11,137	10,215	8,875
Leake County	21,820	20,940	18,436	18,790	17,085	18,660	11,755
Lee County	77,690	75,755	65,581	57,061	46,148	40,589	55,800
Leflore County	36,470	37,947	37,341	41,525	42,111	47,142	11,384

African American	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	Hispanic/ Latino	Other Race	One Race	Two or More Races
1,033,809	11,652	18,626	667	39,569	13,784	2,824,637	20,021
18,117	49	85	4	273	72	34,136	204
3,827	33	73	22	443	203	34,351	207
5,800	17	11	2	113	29	13,532	67
7,864	34	53	0	280	127	19,548	113
2,950	47	4	1	84	23	7,979	47
26,458	40	200	6	477	196	40,407	226
4,318	20	9	5	318	168	14,980	89
3,942	7	17	1	79	14	10,730	39
8,020	37	34	8	445	192	19,351	89
2,994	30	13	1	79	41	9,717	41
9,951	6	17	0	94	12	11,782	49
6,251	20	19	1	120	31	17,902	53
12,380	12	35	2	190	46	21,886	93
21,192	27	144	5	276	104	30,437	185
14,653	21	45	3	332	133	28,602	155
6,910	26	23	3	155	30	19,299	108
12,216	297	667	41	2,516	1,211	106,382	817
24,360	140	536	13	912	292	72,058	546
3,064	19	6	0	45	4	8,398	50
1,688	45	30	0	307	161	19,034	110
3,482	31	9	4	106	41	13,248	51
9,522	33	80	4	145	30	23,143	120
2,934	257	377	16	775	143	42,479	488
39,984	861	4,934	163	4,910	1,697	186,331	3,270
153,297	307	1,507	29	1,978	491	249,215	1,585
16,997	26	33	0	194	16	21,496	113
8,013	11	30	0	168	72	11,171	35
1,427	2	0	0	10	5	2,260	14
1,473	33	42	0	226	72	22,675	95
27,432	440	2,059	52	2,807	941	129,950	1,470
9,597	12	12	5	117	15	18,074	75
8,424	8	10	1	64	2	9,717	23
8,011	19	25	1	107	11	13,883	79
17,107	252	174	6	1,271	913	64,644	314
6,076	215	8	3	76	11	10,393	60
9,705	61	648	5	427	162	38,419	325
5,040	65	254	4	426	116	38,821	249
29,838	137	393	22	888	269	77,672	489
4,252	22	36	3	89	12	13,200	58
7,835	955	31	7	440	238	20,821	119
18,566	96	397	8	882	324	75,191	564
25,701	43	245	15	720	370	37,758	189

CENSUS 2000 MISSISSIPPI POPULATION (Cont.)

Geographic area	2003 estimates	2000	1990	1980	1970	1960	White
Lincoln County	33,549	33,166	30,278	30,174	26,198	26,759	23,010
Lowndes County	60,658	61,586	59,308	57,304	49,700	46,639	34,775
Madison County	79,758	74,674	53,794	41,613	29,737	32,904	45,021
Marion County	25,090	25,595	25,544	25,708	22,871	23,293	17,138
Marshall County	35,442	34,993	30,361	29,296	24,027	24,503	16,925
Monroe County	37,842	38,014	36,582	36,404	34,043	33,953	25,991
Montgomery County	11,935	12,189	12,388	13,366	12,918	13,320	6,613
Neshoba County	29,134	28,684	24,800	23,789	20,802	20,927	18,788
Newton County	22,044	21,838	20,291	19,944	18,983	19,517	14,197
Noxubee County	12,318	12,548	12,604	13,212	14,288	16,826	3,700
Oktibbeha County	42,573	42,902	38,375	36,018	28,752	26,175	25,167
Panola County	35,243	34,274	29,996	28,164	26,829	28,791	17,302
Pearl River County	50,894	48,621	38,714	33,795	27,802	22,411	41,596
Perry County	12,288	12,138	10,865	9,864	9,065	8,745	9,245
Pike County	38,935	38,940	36,882	36,173	31,756	35,063	19,955
Pontotoc County	27,575	26,726	22,237	20,918	17,363	17,232	22,557
Prentiss County	25,581	25,556	23,278	24,025	20,133	17,949	21,940
Quitman County	9,740	10,117	10,490	12,636	15,888	21,019	3,083
Rankin County	124,695	115,327	87,161	69,427	43,933	34,322	93,450
Scott County	28,450	28,423	24,137	24,556	21,369	21,187	16,258
Sharkey County	6,224	6,580	7,066	7,964	8,937	10,738	1,932
Simpson County	27,592	27,639	23,953	23,441	19,947	20,454	17,796
Smith County	15,834	16,182	14,798	15,077	13,561	14,303	12,316
Stone County	14,206	13,622	10,750	9,716	8,101	7,013	10,818
Sunflower County	33,374	34,369	32,867	34,844	37,047	45,750	9,927
Tallahatchie County	14,394	14,903	15,210	17,157	19,338	24,081	5,904
Tate County	25,794	25,370	21,432	20,119	18,544	18,138	17,211
Tippah County	20,920	20,826	19,523	18,739	15,852	15,093	17,046
Tishomingo County	18,966	19,163	17,683	18,434	14,940	13,889	18,192
Tunica County	9,917	9,227	8,164	9,652	11,854	16,826	2,541
Union County	26,113	25,362	22,085	21,741	19,096	18,904	21,156
Walthall County	15,191	15,156	14,352	13,761	12,500	13,512	8,277
Warren County	48,993	49,644	47,880	51,627	44,981	42,206	27,288
Washington County	60,347	62,977	67,935	72,344	70,581	78,638	21,393
Wayne County	21,149	21,216	19,517	19,135	16,650	16,258	13,004
Webster County	10,159	10,294	10,222	10,300	10,047	10,580	7,983
Wilkinson County	10,241	10,312	9,678	10,021	11,099	13,235	3,219
Winston County	19,911	20,160	19,433	19,474	18,406	19,246	11,141
Yalobusha County	13,347	13,051	12,033	13,139	11,915	12,502	7,891
Yazoo County	28,272	28,149	25,506	27,349	27,304	31,653	12,593

Source: Center for Population Studies, University of Mississippi

African American	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	Hispanic/ Latino	Other Race	One Race	Two or More Races
9,839	57	81	3	229	54	33,044	122
25,594	102	333	17	684	239	61,060	526
27,987	83	973	16	742	200	74,280	394
8,156	58	55	2	158	28	25,437	158
17,622	58	39	5	425	128	34,777	216
11,698	37	66	4	261	41	37,837	177
5,479	10	31	3	103	8	12,144	45
5,546	3,959	55	6	332	97	28,451	233
6,632	803	39	0	198	72	21,743	95
8,696	19	14	0	141	46	12,475	73
16,059	70	1,086	12	461	202	42,596	306
16,575	56	63	4	384	140	34,140	134
5,924	242	131	13	686	166	48,072	549
2,742	40	14	6	122	34	12,081	57
18,507	74	127	4	284	77	38,744	196
3,735	72	26	2	481	190	26,582	144
3,308	47	40	0	176	43	25,378	178
6,942	13	17	1	55	8	10,064	53
19,743	189	763	24	1,520	469	114,638	689
11,052	88	50	6	1,660	715	28,169	254
4,561	12	18	0	86	18	6,541	39
9,484	32	40	3	318	129	27,484	155
3,739	17	16	6	96	31	16,125	57
2,613	39	22	4	170	31	13,527	95
24,010	32	137	0	448	166	34,272	97
8,857	13	54	0	137	7	14,835	68
7,870	50	25	10	223	63	25,229	141
3,316	42	22	3	434	269	20,698	128
596	41	15	2	343	203	19,049	114
6,473	10	39	6	233	89	9,158	69
3,791	33	51	4	413	170	25,205	157
6,682	18	37	2	201	40	15,056	100
21,439	112	307	8	514	164	49,318	326
40,667	57	332	10	531	156	62,615	362
8,065	15	32	2	134	28	21,146	70
2,155	11	18	1	174	86	10,254	40
7,034	10	3	0	45	7	10,273	39
8,719	134	17	0	243	56	20,067	93
5,045	28	11	11	127	12	12,998	53
15,189	56	102	1	1,233	62	28,003	146

Municipalities Over 10,000

Municipalities	Counties	Population	Estimates Population 2003
Picayune	Pearl River	10,535	10,641
Gautier	Jackson	11,681	16,753
Oxford	Lafayette	11,756	12,761
Indianola	Sunflower	12,066	11,562
West Point	Clay	12,145	11,858
Canton	Madison	12,911	12,856
McComb	Pike	13,337	13,127
Cleveland	Bolivar	13,841	13,184
Corinth	Alcorn	14,054	14,083
Horn Lake	DeSoto	14,099	15,146
Yazoo City	Yazoo	14,550	12,098
Madison	Madison	14,692	15,869
Grenada	Grenada	14,879	14,649
Moss Point	Jackson	15,851	15,327
Brandon	Rankin	16,436	18,065
Ocean Springs	Jackson	17,225	17,443
Long Beach	Harrison	17,320	16,938
Laurel	Jones	18,393	18,044
Greenwood	Leflore	18,425	17,594
Natchez	Adams	18,464	17,621
Ridgeland	Madison	20,173	21,435
Clarksdale	Coahoma	20,645	19,833
Olive Branch	DeSoto	21,054	24,938
Starkville	Oktibbeha	21,869	22,419
Pearl	Rankin	21,961	22,824
Clinton	Hinds	23,347	24,207
Columbus	Lowndes	25,944	24,959
Pascagoula	Jackson	26,200	25,865
Vicksburg	Warren	26,407	26,005
Southaven	DeSoto	28,977	34,760
Tupelo	Lee	34,211	35,297
Meridian	Lauderdale	39,968	39,559
Greenville	Washington	41,633	39,521
Hattiesburg	Forrest, Lamar	44,779	46,664
Biloxi	Harrison	50,644	48,972
Gulfport	Harrison	71,127	71,810
Jackson	Hinds, Madison, Rankin	184,256	179,599

Source: United States Census Bureau

Mississippi Counties Square Mileage

These figures include areas of the state that are under water.

County	Square Miles
Adams	486.4
Alcorn	401.3
Amite	731.6
Attala	736.9
Benton	408.5
Bolivar	905.7
Calhoun	587.8
Carroll	634.3
Chickasaw	504.2
Choctaw	419.7
Claiborne	501.4
Clarke	693.4
Clay	416.0
Coahoma	583.0
Copiah	779.2
Covington	414.8
Desoto	496.6
Forrest	470.0
Franklin	566.7
George	483.6
Greene	718.7
Grenada	449.2
Hancock	552.4
Harrison	975.9
Hinds	877.1
Holmes	764.0
Humphreys	431.1
Issaquena	441.4
Itawamba	540.5
Jackson	1043.3
Jasper	677.3
Jefferson	527.2
Jefferson Davis	409.0
Jones	699.6
Kemper	767.0
Lafayette	679.1
Lamar	500.3
Lauderdale	715.2
Lawrence	435.6
Leake	585.2
Lee	453.1
Leflore	606.2
Lincoln	588.0
Lowndes	516.5
Madison	741.7
Marion	548.4
Marshall	709.6
Monroe	772.1
Montgomery	407.7
Neshoba	571.5
Newton	579.4
Noxubee	700.0
Oktibbeha	461.8
Panola	704.9
Pearl River	818.7
Perry	650.1
Pike	410.7
Pontotoc	500.9
Prentiss	418.2
Quitman	406.4
Rankin	805.9
Scott	610.2
Sharkey	434.8
Simpson	590.3
Smith	637.1
Stone	448.0
Sunflower	707.1
Tallahatchie	651.9
Tate	410.8
Tippah	459.9
Tishomingo	444.6
Tunica	480.7
Union	416.8
Walthall	404.3
Warren	618.7
Washington	761.2
Wayne	813.4
Webster	423.2
Wilkinson	687.8
Winston	610.0
Yalobusha	494.8
Yazoo	933.9

Source: USDC, Bureau of the Census, 1994 Post Census TIGER file.

State Holidays in Mississippi

January

New Year's Day ..... 1st Day
Martin Luther King's Birthday ..... 3rd Monday
Robert E. Lee's Birthday ..... 3rd Monday

February

George Washington's Birthday ..... 3rd Monday

April

Confederate Memorial Day ..... Last Monday

May

National Memorial Day ..... Last Monday
Jefferson Davis' Birthday ..... Last Monday

July

Independence Day (July Fourth) ..... 4th Day

September

Labor Day ..... 1st Monday

November

Armistice Day (Veteran's Day) ..... 11th Day
Thanksgiving Day

The day of Thanksgiving is fixed by proclamation by the Governor and shall be fixed to correspond to the date proclaimed by the President of the United States. Miss. Code Ann. § 3-3-7 (1972). The Governor, at his discretion, designates any additional day(s) for further observance of the Thanksgiving Season by the same proclamation.

December

Christmas Day ..... 25th Day

In addition to Christmas Day, any day(s) designated, at the Governor's discretion, for the observance of the Christmas Season are fixed by proclamation by the Governor. Miss. Code Ann. § 3-3-7 (1972).

Source: Secretary of State's website (www.sos.state.ms.us)

State Parks

Buccaneer State Park
1150 S. Beach Blvd.
Waveland 39576
(228) 467-3822
Wave Pool: (228) 467-2580
E-mail: buccaneer@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Two miles off U.S. Hwy. 90 on Beach Boulevard in Waveland on the Gulf Coast.
Area: 378 acres

Buccaneer features a seasonal wave pool, water slide, wading pool, game room, tennis courts, basketball courts, three play areas, miniature golf course, disc golf course, nature trail, outdoor amphitheater, seasonal camp store, and great Gulf fishing. 50 tent sites, 149 camping pads (80 with sewer), and additional sites for overflow and accommodations of large groups are available.

Clark Creek Natural Area
266 Ft. Adams Pond Rd.
Woodville 39669
(601) 888-6040

Location: Thirteen miles west of Woodville off Hwy. 24 at the Pond Community.
Area: 700 acres

Clark Creek Natural Area is one of Mississippi's most beautiful outdoor treasures. A nature trail, highlighted by some 50 waterfalls, is available for biking, bird-watching, etc. The terrain is physically demanding. No camping, no facilities, or other amenities available.

Clarkco State Park
386 Clarkco Rd.
Quitman 39355
(601) 776-6651
E-mail: clarkco@mdwfp.state.ms.

Location: Five miles north of Quitman on U.S. Hwy. 45 on Hwy. 145
Area: Park: 816 acres/ Lake: 65 acres

Clarkco is situated on 65-acre Clarkco Lake. Marked nature trails, lighted tennis courts, large picnic pavilions, visitor's center with meeting rooms, and camp store available. Clarkco has 43 improved and 15 primitive camping pads and 20 cabins with individual piers.

George P. Cossar State Park
165 CR 170
Oakland 38948-0297
(662) 623-7356
E-mail: cossar@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Eight miles east of Oakland off Mississippi Hwy. 32
Area: 836 acres

Cossar is situated on a peninsula-like arm jutting into Enid Reservoir. Cossar's famed restaurant features fried catfish and many more favorites (open year-round, Wed.-Sun., noon to 9 p.m.). Cossar has 13 cabins, 84 camping pads, group camp, swimming pool, visitor's center, nature trail, miniature golf, and a disc golf course.

Golden Memorial State Park
Rt. 1 Box 8
Walnut Grove 39189
(601) 253-2237

Location: On Mississippi Hwy. 492, five miles east of Walnut Grove off of Mississippi Hwy. 35
Area: Park: 120 acres/ Lake: 13 acres

Park memorializes post Civil War one-room school once located on the site. Picnic tables, grills, two picnic pavilions, nature trails, and 15-acre spring-fed lake stocked with bass and bream are available.

Great River Road State Park
P.O. Box 292
Rosedale 38769
(662) 759-6762
E-mail: greatriverrd@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: In Rosedale off Mississippi Hwy. 1, 35 miles north of Greenville
Area: Park: 756 acres/ Lake: 25 acres

On the Mississippi River, the park's four-level observation tower offers a magnificent view of the Father of Waters. Fishing, boating, softball fields, visitor's center with concession stand and banquet room with catering service, nature trails, and 61 camping pads are available.

Holmes County State Park
5369 State Park Rd.
Durant 39063
(662) 653-3351
E-mail: holmescounty@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Four miles south of Durant off I-55, Exit 150
Area: Park: 537 acres/ Lake: 101 acres

The most centrally located of the state parks, Holmes County has two fishing lakes, nature trail, amphitheater, skating rink, archery range, and group camp. The park offers tent camping, 12 cabin units, and 28 camping pads.

Hugh White State Park
P.O. Box 725
Grenada 38902
(662) 226-4934
E-mail: hughwhite@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Five miles east of Grenada off Mississippi Hwy. 8
Area: Park: 1,320 acres/ Lake: 64,000 acres

Guests enjoy popular water sports on the 64,000-acre Grenada Reservoir. Hugh White has a bait shop, pool for cabin guests, 24 cabins, a ten-unit lodge, and 173 improved and 12 tent camping pads.

John W. Kyle State Park
4235 State Park Rd.
Sardis 38666
(662) 487-1345
E-mail: johnkyle@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Eight miles east of Sardis on Mississippi Hwy. 315, Exit 252 off I-55 at Sardis
Area: 558 acres

Recreational offerings include 58,500-acre Sardis Reservoir, swimming pool, tennis courts, recreation building, 20 air-conditioned cabin units, group camp housing for 150, 200-site campground located on Sardis Lower Lake with adjacent swimming beaches, and nature trails.

J.P. Coleman State Park
613 CR 321
Iuka 38852
(662) 423-6515
E-mail: jpcoleman@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Four miles north of Iuka, turn off Hwy. 25 onto CR 989
Area: 637 acres

On the Tennessee River at Pickwick Lake, Coleman specializes in all popular water sports. Full service marina available as well as 20 cabin units, three suites, 69 improved and 17 tent camping pads, pool, miniature golf, and playground.

Lake Lincoln State Park
2573 Sunset Dr.
Wesson 39191
(601) 643-9044
E-mail: lakelincoln@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Four and one-half miles east of Hwy. 51 near Wesson
Area: Park: 1,000 acres/ Lake: 550 acres

Lake Lincoln features a 550-acre lake and offers water sports and excellent fishing. The park has a 1.5-acre sand beach, two picnic pavilions, picnic areas, and nature trails. There are 61 improved camping pads (some located lakeside) and a primitive camping area.

Lake Lowndes State Park
3319 Lake Lowndes Rd.
Columbus 39702
(662) 328-2110
E-mail: lakelowndes@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Eight miles southeast of Columbus off Mississippi Hwy. 69
Area: Park: 1,000 acres/ Lake: 180 acres

Lake Lowndes is a superb recreational complex including a visitor's center with game room, meeting rooms, indoor tennis, basketball, and volleyball. Outdoors are three softball fields with lights and six tennis courts. Tent camping, four cabins, 50 camping pads, and self-guided nature trail are available.

LeFleur's Bluff State Park
2140 Riverside Dr.
Jackson 39202
(601) 987-3923
Golf Course: (601) 362-5485
Campground: (601) 987-3985
E-mail: lefleur@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Off I-55 at Lakeland Dr.
Area: Park: 305 acres/ Lake: 50 acres

LeFleur's Bluff has 30 camping pads with water and electricity, a central dump station, campground bathhouses, comfort stations, a camp store with rest rooms and a deck overlooking Mayes Lake, boat ramp, playground, nature trail, swimming pool, club house containing park offices, meeting room with rest rooms, a picnic area with barbecue grills, three large picnic pavilions, four tennis courts, and disc golf course. The golf course features nine holes and a driving range.

Legion State Park
635 Legion State Park Rd.
Louisville 39339-8803
(662) 773-8323
E-mail: legion@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Two miles north of Louisville on N. Columbus Ave.
Area: Park: 440 acres/ Lake: 20 acres

The rustic park maintains its original look, featuring 1930s Civilian Conservation

Corps.-constructed Legion Lodge, a Mississippi landmark. Five rustic cabins, 15 improved camping pads, two fishing lakes, nature trail, picnic pavilion, and tent camping are available.

Leroy Percy State Park
P.O. Box 176
Hollandale 38748
(662) 827-5436
E-mail: leroypercy@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Five miles west of Hollandale off Mississippi Hwy. 12
Area: Park: 1,791 acres/ Lake: 60 acres

The park encompasses a wildlife management area for hunting. Other features include a visitor's center with fast-food service and Sunday noon buffet, eight cabins, a group camp for 50 persons, 16 camping pads, nature trail, swimming, and a wildlife interpretive.

Natchez State Park
230-B Wickliff Rd.
Natchez 39120
(601) 442-2658
E-mail: natchez@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Ten miles north of Natchez off U.S. 61 at Stanton
Area: Park: 3,437 acres/ Lake: 230 acres

Natchez Lake offers water sports and excellent fishing, boasting the state's record largemouth bass. Ten cabins, a picnic area, and nature trail are available. There are 21 improved and eight tent camping pads. Hamburg Road, an old plantation road, runs through the park.

Paul B. Johnson State Park
Geiger Lake Rd.
Hattiesburg 39401
(601) 582-7721
E-mail: pauljohnson@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Fifteen miles south of Hattiesburg off U.S. Hwy. 49
Area: Park: 969 acres/ Lake: 225 acres

Situated on spring-fed Geiger Lake amid towering pines, Johnson provides fishing, water sports, a visitor's center with game room, fast food service, group camp for 110, 16 cabin units, 108 improved and 25 tent camping pads, and a self-guided nature trail.

Percy Quin State Park and Quail Hollow Golf Course
1156 Camp Beaver Dr.
McComb 39648
(601) 684-3938
Club House: (601) 684-2903
E-mail: percyquin@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Six miles south of McComb, exit 13 off I-55
Area: Park: 701 acres/ Lake: 700 acres

On Lake Tangipahoa, special park features include water sports, group camp for 200, nine lodge rooms with kitchenettes, 27 cabin units, convention center, 107 camping pads, designated tent camping, visitor's center, game room nature trail, swimming pool, five lighted tennis courts, miniature golf, playground, and picnic area. Catering is available. The facility offers an 18-hole championship golf course with large driving range and putting green.

Roosevelt State Park
2149 Hwy. 13 S.
Morton 39117
(601) 732-6316
Catering: (601) 732-6318
E-mail: roosevelt@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Exit 77 off I-20
Area: Park: 690 acres/ Lake: 150 acres

Park has visitor's center with mini-convention center for up to 200, game room, group camping facilities for 104, 109 campsites, 20 lodge game rooms with kitchenettes, 15 cabin units, tent camping in designated areas, lighted tennis courts, nature/wildlife observation area, 150-acre lake, water sports, a water slide, miniature golf, and multi-purpose sports field.

Shepard State Park
1034 Graveline Rd.
Gautier 39553
(228) 497-2244
E-mail: shepad@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Three miles west of Pascagoula, south of U.S. Hwy. 90 at Gautier
Area: 395 acres

Shepard has 395 acres abounding with trees and wild flowers. Bike and nature trail, disc golf course, tent camping, 28 improved camping pads, and picnicking available.

Tishomingo State Park
P.O. Box 880
Tishomingo 38873
(662) 438-6914
E-mail: tishomingo@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Two miles south of Tishomingo off Mississippi Hwy. 25
Area: Park: 1,385 acres/ Lake: 45 acres

Tishomingo is abundant in natural beauty and offers an April to mid-October Bear Creek float trip, a 13-mile nature trail system, swinging bridge, pool, six cabins, multi-use playing field, group camp for 142 persons, tent camping, and 62 camping pads.

Tombigbee State Park
264 Cabin Dr.
Tupelo 38801

(662) 842-7669
E-mail: tombigbee@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Six miles southeast of Tupelo off Mississippi Hwy. 6
Area: Park: 522 acres/ Lake 120 acres

Tombigbee is diversity. Catering, game room, and fast food service are available at the visitor's center. Fish in Lake Lee. The lakeside group camp houses 200 and has a meeting room. The park also has seven cabin units, 20 camping pads, three nature trails, and tennis court.

Trace State Park
2139 Faulkner Rd.
Belden 38826
(662) 489-2958
E-mail: trace@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Ten miles east of Pontotoc off Mississippi Hwy. 6
Area: Park: 2,545 acres/ Lake: 565 acres

This 2,500-acre park offers tent camping, 25 camping pads with electricity and water, six cabin units, fishing, water skiing, boat rentals, and launch ramp. Motorized and non-motorized trails are available and are a popular park activity.

Wall Doxey State Park
3946 Hwy. 7 S.
Holly Springs 38635
(662) 252-4231
E-mail: walldoxey@mdwfp.state.ms.us

Location: Seven miles south of Holly Springs off Mississippi Hwy. 7
Area: Park: 809 acres/ Lake: 60 acres

On a spring-fed lake, Wall Doxey has a beach, a two-level diving platform, and excellent fishing. A multipurpose activity field, playground, nature trail, visitor's center (catering available), group camp for 104, nine cabins, 64 improved and 18 tent camping pads are also available.

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(601) 797-4619

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Source: Pat Harrison Waterway District Parks

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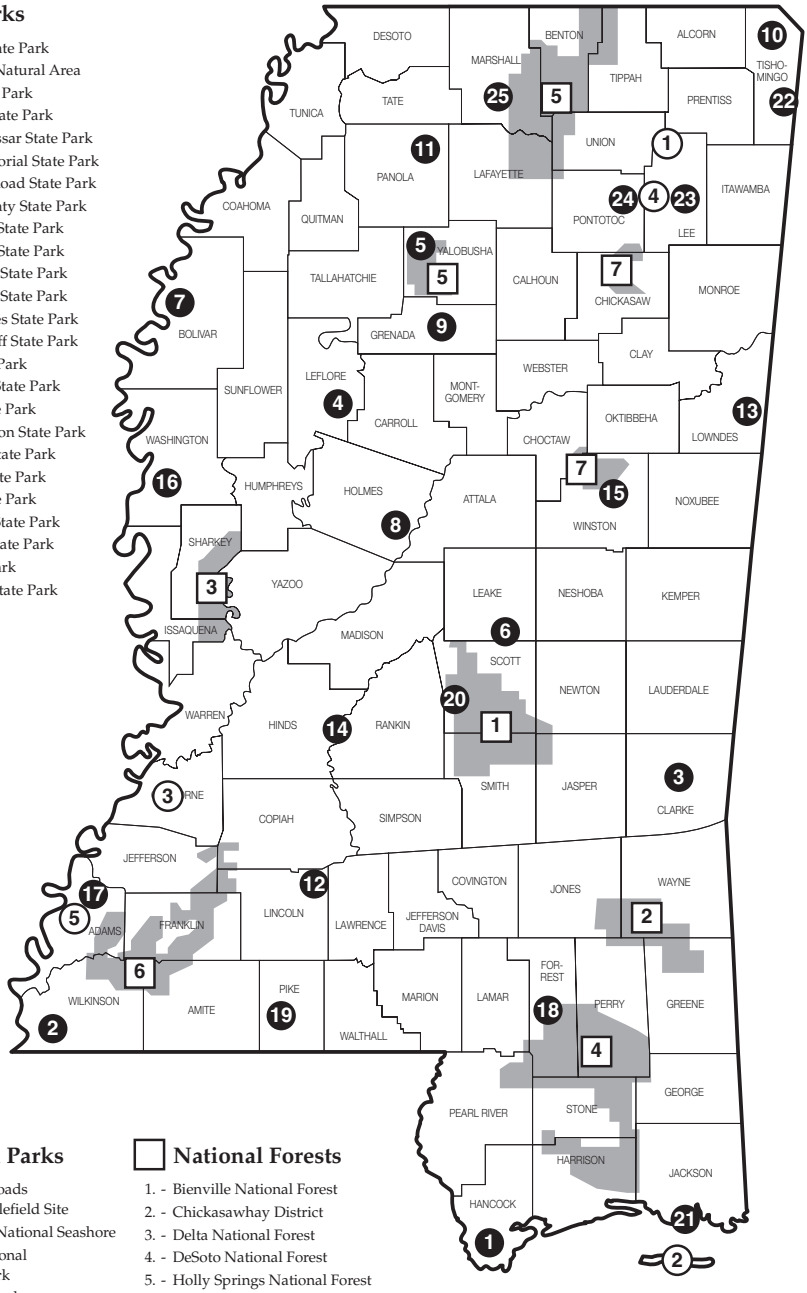

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Statistical Information on Mississippi Manufacturers

MISSISSIPPI MANUFACTURING FACILITIES AND EMPLOYMENT 2005

Size of Facility (Employees)	Number of Facilities	Number of Employees	Percentage of Total Manufacturing Employees
1,000 or more	19	42,940	20.5
500-999	53	35,323	16.9
200-499	158	45,785	21.9
100-199	247	33,646	16.1
50-99	304	20,520	9.8
26-49	386	14,076	6.7
11-25	619	10,758	5.1
1-10	1,221	6,287	3.0
Total	3,007	209,335	100.0

MISSISSIPPI'S LARGEST EMPLOYERS

Company	Employees	Mississippi Plants
Northrop Grumman	13,112	3
Nissan North America	5,374	2
Tyson Foods	4,599	6
Howard Industries*	4,030	4
Sanderson Farms*	3,958	6
Furniture Brands International	3,575	5
Peco Foods	2,852	8
Lennox/Outokumpu	2,692	3
Koch Foods	2,647	3
Georgia-Pacific	2,557	17
Sara Lee	2,455	4
La-Z-Boy	2,397	7
Ashley Furniture	2,325	3
Berkline/Benchcraft	1,938	5
Leggett & Platt	1,870	13
Delphi	1,720	3
Weyerhauser	1,626	9
Peavey Electronics*	1,600	2
Cooper Tire & Rubber	1,586	2
Chevron Texaco	1,273	2
ContiGroup Companies	1,218	2
Cooper Industries	1,176	2
Franklin Corporation*	1,150	1
Quebecor World	1,150	2
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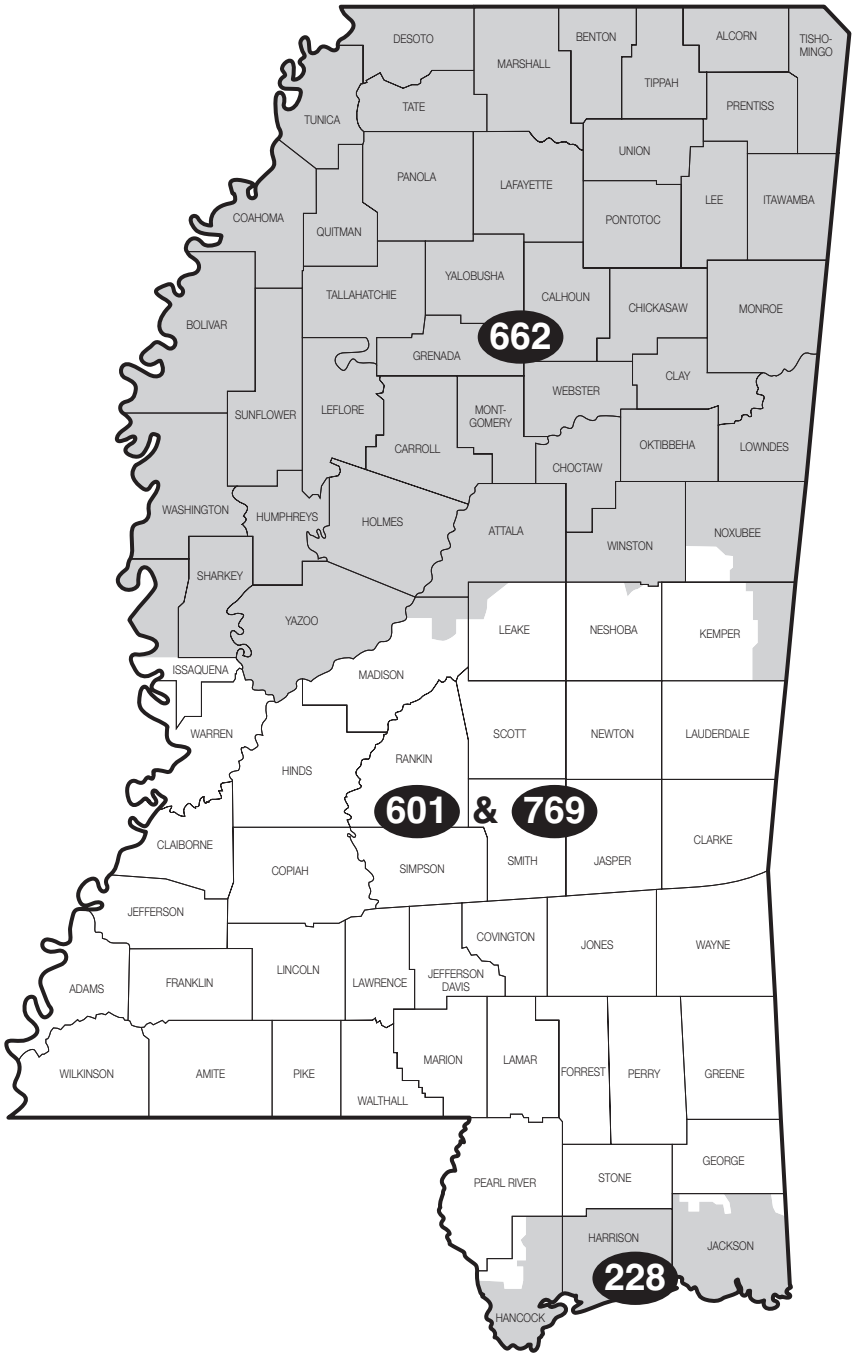
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